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## OVERSEAS OFFICERS PREPARED FOR CALL

Were Ready to Go to Ireland  
and Help Lead Volunteer  
Forces

## UNIONISTS RUNNING SYMPATHY EXCURSIONS

Nationalists Will Hold Con-  
gress at Dublin to Prepare  
Constitution

## NO ARMY PROVISION IN HOME RULE BILL

BY GEORGE H. MAITLAND  
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Times in Ulster  
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Londonderry, Ireland, April 22.—That resignations of army officers in Ireland were to have been followed by resignations abroad is proven by a letter shown me in Fermanagh. Not only were Irish officers in the Dominions to have resigned but they were to come home to Ulster to help lead the volunteers. A letter from one of these says: "Thank God for men like Hugh Gough, who saved the situation. I was hourly expecting your pre-arranged cable saying I was needed. I would have resigned at once and come. So would others of us."

"Five officers were coming back to this town under those circumstances," said the man who showed me the letter, which is undoubtedly genuine.

Unionists are adopting a unique plan to get English and Scottish sympathy and impress their preparedness on the empire. Parties consisting of Unionists, Liberals and Laborites are being brought over and shown the conditions here at the Unionists' expense. At Enniskillen where the volunteers have a body of three hundred horse, eight such deputations have been shown the drill, and the ninth arrives on Thursday. This is only one instance of costly and thorough organization of the Unionists in Ireland.

Nationalist volunteers will shortly hold a congress in Dublin, to be attended by representatives of all battalions, at which the final constitution will be drawn up. There is some conjecture here as to what Professor McDonagh meant at Cardonagh when he said "Irish volunteers must prepare to use the weapons which will be put into their hands by their country very soon." As the Home Rule bill does not provide for the Irish parliament maintaining an army it is difficult to see how the country could provide arms if the bill becomes law.

## MAYOR OF MONTREAL OVERRULES CHARTER

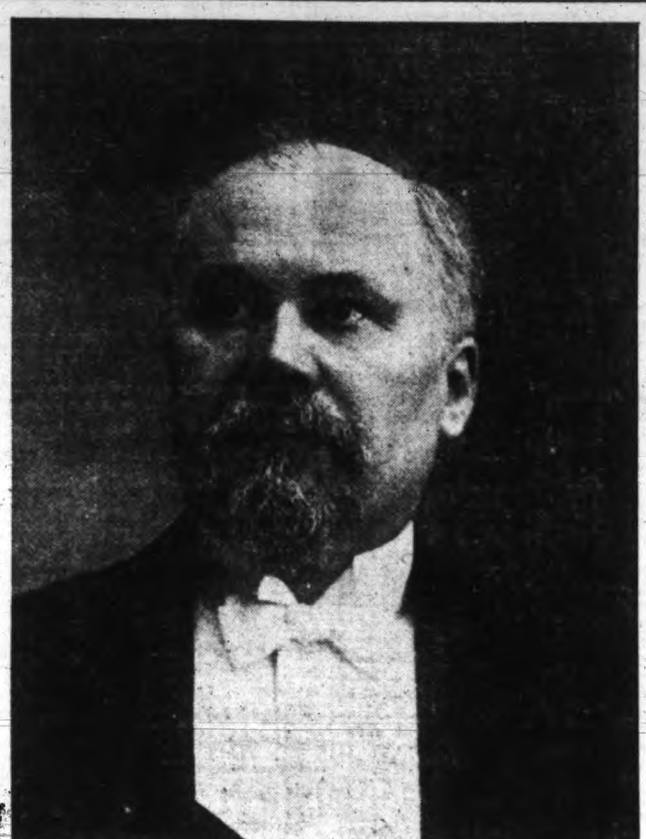
Makes Thursday Holiday to Celebrate  
His Election to First  
Office of City.

Montreal, April 22.—The first day's work of the board of control was to brush aside the city's charter to overrule the law by the simple process of doing it and to dismiss the interpretations of the law by the city attorney as of no consequence. The triumvirate, composed of Messrs. Martin, Cote and Hebert, voted to give control of the city clerk and his assistance to Mr. Cote, whereas the city charter distinctly states that this department is not under the board of control, but under the city council. Such vote, the city attorney says, was illegal.

The triumvirate also divided the work of the city into five sections, giving each controller one to look after. The charter distinctly gives all departments into the hands of the controllers as a body, and this power cannot be delegated to any individual or other body. This vote was also illegal, according to the city attorney. In both cases the city attorney pointed out the illegality but he was not listened to, the mayor going as far as to suggest that an outside lawyer had better be engaged to give an opinion.

On top of all this, Mayor Martin makes Thursday a holiday for city employees to celebrate his election as mayor. He also says that there will not be a ratepayer out of work in eight days.

## President Poincare—Host of Royalty



## King George and Queen Mary Make State Entry Into Paris

Paris, April 22.—A British king and queen made the first state entry into Paris in the history of the French republic, and also in the longer history of the City of Paris, yesterday when King George and Queen Mary, attended by their suite made a state progress through the streets. Only on one other occasion has a British sovereign accompanied by the queen visited Paris, when King Edward accompanied by Queen Alexandra came in February, 1907. This visit, however, was not official. Their majesties travelled incognito as the Duke and Duchess of Lancaster, and stayed at the British embassy.

Crossing from Dover to Calais, the King and Queen travelled to the Gare du Nord, where they entered the underground system to complete their journey to the Bois de Boulogne. There President Poincare and Madame Poincare formally received their royal visitors. Last night their majesties attended

## LIBERAL ASSOCIATION CONDEMNS GOVERNMENT

Proposal That Municipality Bonus  
Corporation Contrary  
to Law.

Vancouver, April 22.—The government of the province of British Columbia has proposed that the district municipality of North Vancouver bonus a private corporation, an action contrary to the municipal act. In order that the city might purchase the Rice Lake lands, known as D. L. 864-7, compensation must be made to the B. C. Electric railway, who were given to understand they should have the right to purchase the lands in question from the government when they constructed their line into Lynn valley in the district. It transpired, however, that the government, after first giving the district the right to purchase at \$10 an acre, later transferred the right to the city of North Vancouver in the act of incorporation. It was in the face of this legislation that shortly after incorporation they again made a transfer from the district to the B. C. E. R. company. In order to fix the matter up now the district of North Vancouver is asked to pay \$9,100 as compensation to the B. C. E. R., and the city \$5,000 additional to the original price of \$10 an acre, which makes an even amount with the district.

The North Vancouver Liberal association last evening debated the subject at some length and finally went on record with the following resolutions, passed unanimously:

"Resolved, that this association utterly condemn the action of the provincial government in refusing to deed the Rice Lake lands to the city as per the original agreement.

"That the Liberal association representative of the city and district of North Vancouver condemns the attitude of the B. C. government in calling upon the municipality of North Vancouver to vote \$9,100 as a bonus to a private corporation, which action is contrary to the municipal act."

**FAWCETT BEAT STOEVER  
IN ELECTION AT TACOMA**  
Tacoma, April 22.—The complete majority vote was: Fawcett, 11,414; Stoever, 9,394. The vote for councilmen: James C. Drake, 13,761; Charles D. Atkins, 10,000; W. A. Stewart, 9,671; and Nicholas Lawson, 5,060.

## SIR WILLIAM WHYTE BURIED AT WINNIPEG

C. P. R. Trains and Electric Cars Are  
Still for Three  
Minutes.

Winnipeg, April 22.—The funeral of Sir William Whyte was held here this afternoon and the service in Knox church was attended by many hundreds of friends from Winnipeg and all parts of the west. The casket was carried by representatives of various branches of the Canadian Pacific railway and the Winnipeg Electric railway. The honorary pallbearers were Sir Daniel McMillan, George Bury, N. G. Leitch, A. M. Norton, J. A. M. Aikins, M. P.; J. T. Gordon, D. K. Elliott, G. R. Crowe, K. McKenzie and J. Fisher.

For two hours this morning the body lay in state in Knox church. For three minutes while the funeral was in progress trains on the Canadian Pacific system and electric cars in Winnipeg were still as a tribute of respect from the management of the two companies in both of which Sir William had filled important positions.

The mayor and city council, of Winnipeg, attended in a body, and among others who attended the service were most of the men who are prominent in official and business circles in the city and province.

## POSTMASTER-GENERAL RECEIVES DEPUTATION

London, April 22.—Rt. Hon. Charles Hobhouse, postmaster-general, received to-day a deputation representing every newspaper interest here in an appeal to him to meet the Canadian government in order to maintain the present rates for British magazines.

## BLIGH GIVEN THIRD HALIFAX MAYORALTY

Halifax, April 22.—F. P. Bligh has for a third time been elected mayor of Halifax. Yesterday was nomination day and Mr. Bligh was the only candidate nominated. His nomination was signed by nearly all the aldermen.

**FIRE AT HAILEYBURY.**  
Haileybury, Ont., April 22.—The court-house and post office here are on fire.

## STRIKERS SWARMING INTO DELAGUA HILLS

Armed Miners Firing Into  
Camp of Guards  
Killed Two

## WATER SUPPLY CUT — OFF WITH DYNAMITE

State Troops Sent Through in  
Steel Cars to Aid in Stop-  
ping Outbreak

## SEVEN BODIES BROUGHT FROM LUDLOW BATTLE

Trinidad, Colo., April 22.—Heavy fighting is reported to have been in progress at Delagua since daylight. Armed strikers are said to be swarming in the hills north of town and firing into the camp. A report at the offices of the Victor-American Fuel company from Supt. B. W. Snodgrass, said two men had been killed in the Delagua camp and that three guards were reported killed in the hills above the camp.

Reports reached the office of the Victor-American Fuel company shortly before noon that the reservoir at the head of Apishpa Creek had been dynamited. This reservoir supplies water to the town and mine at Aguilar and the Delagua and Hastings.

The men killed in the camp were David Donovan and Carl Johnson. Firing ceased at 8:15. Supt. Snodgrass said the Delagua mine reported that the state troops who came from Ludlow and Hastings in steel cars, took to the hills and fired several volleys.

No information was available as to the casualties among the strikers. According to mine company reports, the attacking party appeared in the hills north of the camp. Delagua is the bottom of a deep canyon which at that point runs nearly east and west. The village surrounds the mine offices and the company store, which are located a few hundred feet down the canyon from the double tiple which connects with the two mines, one on each side of the canyon.

A report to the Victor-American Fuel company headquarters here stated that seven or eight guards who went into the hills to meet the strikers were still unaccounted for and that the remaining guards dared not go in to the hills to search for them. A call for help was sent to Ludlow and Hastings, and militiamen were rushed to Delagua. In the course of the firing, the mine officers and the company store were pelted with bullets.

Seven bodies of those killed in the Ludlow battle had been brought to Trinidad early to-day. Eleven more dead, two women and nine children, had been located. The bodies were laid in an improvised morgue in an undertaking establishment.

Hour-after-hour streams of so-called laborers, Greeks, Slavs, Mexicans and non-descript natives of every quarter of the globe, filed into the morgue, gazed silently at the dead and passed out. Union officials were making preparations for the burial of the dead.

## REDISTRIBUTION REPORT IS HELD UP BY DISPUTE

Ottawa, April 22.—The redistribution committee met again this morning but did not succeed in agreeing on the points in dispute between the majority and minority in regard to the fixing of the boundaries of certain constituencies in Quebec and Ontario. At the close of the meeting it was said that the committee was not likely to reach an agreement until the end of the week if then. If they do not come to terms majority and minority reports will be made to the house where the fight will be continued.

## The Annual General Meeting of the Victoria Liberal Association

Will be held in the Associa-  
tion Rooms, 617 Cormorant  
St.,

## TO-NIGHT At 8 O'clock

Business: Election of of-  
ficers for the ensuing year  
and general business. All  
Liberals are cordially in-  
vited to be present.

H. L. ROBERTS,  
Secretary.

## Three Thousand Land at Vera Cruz Fighting Continued Through Night

General Maas Took Carriage  
and Left City When First  
Men Landed

## DESULTORY FIRING ON SHORE DURING NIGHT

Garrison Was Turned Loose  
Immediately Force From  
Battleships Approached

Vera Cruz, Mex., April 22.—There was only desultory firing here during the night. Occasional shots were fired from the roofs of houses in the outskirts of the city, but these averaged not more than four an hour, and no further casualties were recorded on the American side.

The street lighting system failed early last evening and the only illumination during the night came from the entrances of houses. Much firing by the American bluejackets was at long range, and no attempt was made to approach the centre of the city, where some determined Mexicans still occupied positions. At dawn several bodies were in the streets beyond the American lines. The efforts of Rear-Admiral Fletcher late last night to find someone who exercised command over the Mexicans and to suggest that he call off his men in the interests of humanity were unsuccessful. The rear admiral hesitated to open fire with shell on the city, but the presence of riflemen hidden behind the copings of the flat-roofed buildings, which formed capital shelter for the defending sharpshooters, made the use of artillery all too imperative to prevent sacrificing the lives of more Americans.

Of the twenty-one bluejackets and marines wounded in yesterday's fighting, four are seriously hurt, according to the report of surgeons.

General Gustavo Maas, commander of the garrison at Vera Cruz, left the city in a carriage at noon yesterday, half an hour after the first boatload of American marines landed from the warships. This was stated officially to-day, and it was also declared that he had not been seen nor heard from since that hour. The commander's family followed him in another carriage.

It is stated that the Mexican troops forming the garrison of Vera Cruz were turned loose as soon as it was seen that the Americans were about to land, and were told to act as they saw fit. Very few, if any, of the officers remained with the Mexican soldiers, whose operations were carried on without anyone to direct them. Some of the Mexican troops obtained a considerable supply of intoxicants by looting two stores. As a result many of them were in a condition which made them equally dangerous to natives and foreigners who came within their range.

Col. Cerrillo was one of the few officers who remained with the Mexican troops. He was the commander of the Nineteenth battalion and was wounded in one arm early in the fighting.

The Mexican troops had one 75-millimetre gun, which they wheeled into position at the corner of Esteban Morales and Main streets.

The coming of the American forces yesterday was not heralded by any great excitement, but small crowds gathered to watch the landing. Soon the bluejackets and marines marched through the streets leading from the waterfront and along the railroad yards. Others proceeded to the American consulate, while still others were deployed along the approaches to the central plaza.

These manoeuvres were effected without opposition, but suddenly a volley was fired from a point three blocks from the marines and two blocks south of the main plaza. The marines replied immediately, but the action ceased in a moment. There was a lull for ten minutes, and then another brief exchange from the west end of Montesinos street, where a Federal outpost was stationed.

At 12:30 the firing became general, and at 1 o'clock the guns of the Pacific went into action.

Prior to this a detachment of bluejackets from the Utah, holding the ground between the consulate and the waterfront, opened first with two of their three-inch guns. The first shot from these pieces were directed against an ancient tower which once served as a lighthouse. This was occupied by Mexican sharpshooters.

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## "I'M SORRY, TERRIBLY SORRY," SAYS WILSON



## MAN OF PEACE NOW WAR PRESIDENT

Washington, D. C., April 22.—"I'm sorry, terribly sorry," was President Wilson's first words when news of loss of life in taking Vera Cruz first reached him. To-day the president was sad and disheartened. As he walked slowly to his office through the White House his head was bowed and his face a study in deep feeling and gravity.

## CONGRESS UPHOLDS ACTION OF WILSON

Washington, D. C., April 22.—Without debate and without the formality of a roll call the house to-day concurred in the administration's Mexican resolution as adopted by the senate, which justifies the president in using the armed forces of the United States in securing amends for indignities suffered by the nation in Mexico.

On the viva voce vote, "the ayes" were in pronounced majority. A few negative votes were heard here and there on the Republican side when Speaker Clark put the question. After a 30-minute session the house adjourned until noon, and when it convened Speaker Clark signed the resolution. It was then engrossed and sent to the White House for the president's signature.

The president signed the resolution at 2:05. Only his family was present. President Wilson to-day sent to congress a message asking for an immediate appropriation of \$500,000 to be used to bring Americans now in Mexico back to the United States. The message was referred to the appropriations committee.

## RECRUITING OFFICES OPENED AT SALTILLO

Eagle Pass, Tex., April 22.—Piedras Negras, opposite Eagle Pass, was evacuated by the federal garrison early to-day after a night of wild excitement. This morning more than 2,000 refugees came to the American side of the Rio Grande for protection.

General Guajardo's forces are now camped at Fuentes, three miles south of Piedras Negras, waiting for trains to transport them to Saltillo.

The federal forces have been ordered by General Maas to concentrate at Saltillo "to repel the American invasion." Last night when the people of Piedras Negras learned that American marines had occupied Vera Cruz, a dozen recruiting offices were opened and arms issued to volunteer companies as fast as organized. More than 1,500 volunteers, it was said, enlisted during the evening.

## POPE PIUS TAKING AN INTEREST IN FIGHTING

Rome, April 22.—Pope Pius is evincing great interest in the situation between the United States and Mexico, and to-day requested Cardinal Merry del Val, the papal secretary of state, to keep him informed on the subject.

## CASUALTY LIST TO DATE

Washington, April 22.—The casualty list in the taking of Vera Cruz to date is:

United States: Four marines killed, twenty-one wounded.

Mexico: Seventy-five killed and wounded.

President Wilson's Order to  
Land on Mexican Soil Exe-  
cuted by Admiral

## CO-OPERATION ASKED IN RESTORATION OF ORDER

Proclamation Issued for Pur-  
pose of Preventing Further  
Loss of Life

Washington, D. C., April 22.—The White House gave out the following statement: "Dispatches received from Consul Canada at Vera Cruz at 1:10 p. m. announced that the American forces are now in complete possession of the city; that apparently no fatalities among American and non-combatants, and that firing had ceased, except for occasional picket shots."

While the orders of the president were being carried out to the letter, it was made apparent in conferences at the White House that the United States will "sit tight" at Vera Cruz and that no further steps of pacification will be taken at this time.

For the present it was declared on high authority that the forces at Vera Cruz hold the city to convince Huerta that this government means business, and that no action would be taken at Tampico unless there are retaliatory actions on the part of the Huerta government.

No orders, it was stated, have been sent to the American officers with reference to landing at Tampico, the only orders being sent there referring to directions for ships sent to Vera Cruz. Admiral Badger will remain at Vera Cruz until further notice.

No advancement further than Vera Cruz on the part of the United States forces, it was made plain, would be undertaken unless some overt act on the part of Huerta and his followers should precipitate further trouble and make aggressive action necessary.

Despite the purpose of the administration to confine the operations at Vera Cruz, the situation took on an ominous aspect which indicated that more serious circumstances cannot be avoided.

Though not officially announced, it was reported on high authority that Senator Alagar, the Mexican charge d'affaires, has been directed by Huerta to ask for his passports, and that the American charge at Mexico City, Mr. O'Shaughnessy, had been asked to leave.

With this prospective breaking off of diplomatic negotiations, together with reports of increased feeling among the Mexicans, the feeling is here that it may be necessary in the near future to resist active attacks from Mexican federal soldiers.

Everything is in readiness for actual warfare if it must come, and congress to-day took the final step in justifying the president's course thus far.

Washington, D. C., April 22.—The American forces commenced an advance to take the entire city at 8 o'clock under guns of the war vessels, according to a report from Consul Canada received at the state department at 10 o'clock this morning.

Consul Canada's latest dispatch, which was filed at Vera Cruz early to-day and was given out at 11 a. m., says: "Firing commenced at daybreak. Ships now shelling southern part of city. Large force landed from Admiral Badger's fleet before daylight. Copies of proclamation issued by Rear-Admiral Fletcher requesting at once the co-operation of the mayor and municipal authorities in restoring order have been distributed, but have been unable as yet to get in communication with these officials. Major Butler's force of marines from Tampico are now ashore. Expect the city will be quiet later in the morning. Estimates of Mexicans killed and wounded up to late last night approximately 75. The battleships here are Florida, Utah, Arkansas, Vermont, New Hampshire, New Jersey, South Carolina, transport Prairie and collier Orion. Transport Hancock with marines reported due. American forces advance at 8, under guns of war vessels, to take city."

Consul Canada, under date of 9 a. m. to-day, cabled that he expected fighting to cease within an hour. The total American forces ashore numbered 3,000. They were well into the city and had the situation in hand.

Admiral Fletcher's proclamation to the mayor, chief of police and citizens of Vera Cruz reads: "It has become necessary for the naval forces of the United States of America now at Vera Cruz to land and assume military control of the customs wharves of Vera Cruz. Your co-operation is required to preserve order and prevent loss of life."

"It is not the intention of the United States naval forces to interfere with the administration of the civil affairs of Vera Cruz, more than is necessary for the purpose of maintaining a con-

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## INDIANS WANT CASH

### IF RESERVE IS SOLD

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Forty Houses

Vancouver, April 22.—According to Chief Jimmy Harry, of the Seymour Indian reserve No. 2, east of Seymour river, A. Philip, of North Vancouver, has asked him for a price for his land, the assumption being that Mr. Philip is acting in conjunction with the North Shore councils and the harbor board for the purchase of the reserve for industrial purposes.

The reserve consists of 147 acres, 47 acres of which border on Burrard Inlet, just east of the site for the second narrow bridge. The price set upon the land by Chief Jimmy Harry in consequence of Mr. Philip's inquiries was \$182,500, conditionally that it be cash. In addition, in the event of the deal going through, the purchasers are to furnish the 40 families each with a \$500 house on the reserve nine miles up the Squamish valley. The \$182,500 includes improvements which the Indians have made upon the land.

Speaking of the proposed negotiations, Chief Jimmy Harry stated that he believed the acquisition of the reserve was for factory sites, and it was intimated to him that by June or July at the latest he could expect a definite reply.

### DEATH OF S. R. CROCKETT.

London, April 21.—Samuel Rutherford Crockett, the novelist, died yesterday. He was born in 1850. Mr. Crockett entered the Free Church of Scotland in 1886. He was a voluminous writer, "The Stickler Minister" being among the best known of his works.

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## AUSTRIAN TO START

### BEFORE SHACKLETON

Dr. Koenig Leaves Trieste for  
Weddell Sea in Early  
July

Vienna, April 22.—Plans of the Aus-  
trian Antarctic expedition to be led  
by Dr. Felix Koenig have not been  
changed in any particular on account  
of the controversy with the British  
explorer, Sir Ernest Shackleton, as to  
which of them is entitled to priority  
in the attempt to explore the Weddell  
sea region of the Antarctic. Both have  
selected the Weddell sea as their  
starting point. Neither is inclined to  
give way, but, at any rate, the Aus-  
trian will start first.

Dr. Koenig with about 30 men is ex-  
pected to start from Trieste about the  
beginning of July. The party should  
arrive at their base of operations in  
the Weddell sea in January next, and  
they expect to spend at least two years  
in that region. The total cost of the  
expedition will amount to about \$150,  
000, most of which has been already  
subscribed.

The expedition will sail from Trieste  
in the "Oesterreich," formerly the  
"Deutschland," the ship used by the  
last German Antarctic expedition led  
by Pinner in 1911-12. They will reach  
Buenos Aires in about two months,  
carefully avoiding a too long sojourn  
in the tropics on account of the 150  
Esquimaux dogs which will be taken.  
Some two weeks later they will arrive  
in South Georgia and remain there  
several weeks, making arrangements  
for establishing a large coal depot,  
and also for keeping in wireless com-  
munication with the outside world via  
South America during their stay in the  
Antarctic ice.

Under the most favorable conditions  
the expedition cannot leave South  
Georgia before the beginning of De-  
cember as the Weddell sea is not free  
from ice before then. It is hoped that  
with skillful navigation and ordinarily  
good luck the "Oesterreich" will reach  
open water in the south before the end  
of January. Arriving there, the next  
task will be to select suitable perma-  
nent quarters as a starting point for the  
sledge journeys inland.

The main object and scope of the ex-  
pedition is the exploration of the hith-  
erto entirely unknown Antarctic re-  
gions in the Weddell sea and for this  
purpose three separate sledge expedi-  
tions have been projected.

The first of these will proceed south,  
following the apparently precipitous  
slope in that direction, endeavoring to  
discover its trend as well as its even-  
tual connection with the Queen Maud  
range of mountains first seen by  
Amundsen. It is hoped that another  
result of this journey will be to ascer-  
tain the surface conditions of the ice  
barrier discovered by the Pinner ex-  
pedition in the sheet districts of the  
Weddell sea, and also to determine  
how far south this ice barrier really  
extends.

The second sledge expedition will go  
towards Graham Land with the object  
of discovering the character of the ice  
barrier and its extension to the west.  
The party will attempt to push  
through to the west Antarctic, and if  
possible strike the southerly continen-  
tation of Graham Land.

The third sledge party will travel  
east southeast to investigate the ex-  
tension of the inland ice and its eleva-  
tions in the Enderby quadrant.

It is just possible that the explorers  
may accomplish their work within two  
years, but, in case they should fail,  
supplies are being taken for a stay of  
three years.

Dr. Felix Koenig, the director of the  
expedition, is a tall strongly built man  
in the prime of his life and physical  
condition. He was born at Graz in  
Austria thirty-three years ago, and  
studied in the university there, taking  
the degree of Ph. D. After leaving  
college he travelled extensively in the  
mountainous parts of Central and  
Southern Europe gaining valuable  
knowledge of the ice fields and glaciers.

In 1910 he went to Greenland to  
secure data for the Pinner Antarctic  
expedition which he accompanied as an  
ice expert. It was the experience gained  
on this expedition that led him to  
organize the present Austrian under-  
taking. He will act as director, and  
the party will be under the actual  
command of an officer of the Austro-  
Hungarian navy. There will be two  
other ship's officers.

The scientific members of the expedi-  
tion include two zoologists, a meteor-  
ologist, a geologist, a taxidermist and  
a photographer. The crew include a  
Norwegian ice pilot, four sledge ex-  
perts, a carpenter, and sixteen sailors.  
Of the latter two are Norwegians, four  
Germans and ten Austrians. Three of  
them went with the Pinner expedi-  
tion.

## MANUFACTURERS TO MEET IN VICTORIA THIS YEAR

Vancouver, B. C., April 22.—At the  
meeting of the British Columbia Manu-  
facturers' Association held in the board-  
ing rooms last night it was unani-  
mously decided to hold the first annual  
convention of the association in Victo-  
ria some time during the Dominion  
exhibition, which will be held next  
September.

The decision was arrived at after  
having received an invitation from the  
Victoria section of the association.

## VETERAN OF WAR IN SOUTH AFRICA DEAD

Vancouver, April 22.—The death oc-  
curred yesterday morning of a veteran  
of the South African war in the per-  
son of Arthur Wellesley Wilkins, aged  
55, who came to Vancouver about four  
years ago. Mr. Wilkins had been ill for  
some time, but did not go to the hos-  
pital. His death occurred in the Bad-  
minton hotel at 8 o'clock.  
Mr. Wilkins was a commercial travel-  
ler, and a member of the Commercial  
Travelers' union. The funeral will take  
place this afternoon.

## DUTY REDUCTION ON

### MOWER MEANS LITTLE

Old Policy Now Distinctive on  
Part of Government  
Says Marcell

Ottawa, April 22.—Not much new  
ground was covered by the majority of  
the speakers in the budget debate,  
which was continued yesterday, and  
which promises to run for some time  
yet. J. H. Sinclair, Liberal member for  
Guysboro, said that in Ontario at the  
last general election Mr. Burnham,  
Capt. Wallace and the minister of war  
were particularly interested in the  
question "Are we married, or not?"  
"Now that their party is in power they  
don't care two cents whether we are  
married or not," Mr. Sinclair calcu-  
lated that the saving to a farmer on a  
mower as resulting from the reduc-  
tion in the duty was just enough each  
year to buy a half-pound of poor to-  
bacco. He compared Mr. White to a  
reckless son of a wealthy farmer, who  
did not want to do anything but "dash  
away and spend the money."

Dr. Steele, South Perth, said the pres-  
ent government could take particular  
note for what it had done for the  
farmers.

Dr. Steele maintained that the high  
freight rates on the Atlantic afforded  
protection to the British miller just as  
effectively as an import duty on flour.  
The establishment of a line of boats to  
carry agricultural produce to the Brit-  
ish market with return cargoes of  
British goods, would mean a great deal  
for the farmers of Canada.

In closing, Dr. Steele said that the  
people of eastern Canada sympathized  
with the west, but western farmers  
should remember that the farmers of  
Ontario were to be considered. He  
hoped it would be possible for the gov-  
ernment to shape a policy which would  
be mutually beneficial to the east and  
the west.

Hon. Charles Marcell said he was glad  
the minister of finance had made it  
clear that the Conservative party pro-  
posed to adhere absolutely to the old  
national policy. Liberals who had been  
foolish enough to vote for the present  
government in 1911 with the expecta-  
tion that it would be progressive now  
knew what to expect.

The debate was continued by Mr.  
Morphy, North Perth, and J. Lanctot,  
Laprairie-Napierville.

There was considerable jollifying on  
the part of the Liberal members at the  
opening of the house when the question  
was asked of Hon. Colonel Hughes as  
to when his estimate would be brought  
down. The minister of militia replied  
that they would come "as soon as the  
flow of oratory ceases."

## WAR WOULD NOT HURT CONTINENTAL RAILWAYS

President of Grand Trunk Says Traf-  
fic Does Not Warrant Rate  
Reduction.

Ottawa, April 22.—E. J. Chamberlain,  
president of the Grand Trunk and  
Grand Trunk Pacific railroads, does not  
think that business in the United  
States and Canada will be injured to  
any appreciable extent if war breaks  
out between the United States and  
Mexico. On the contrary, he believes  
that industrial conditions would be  
stimulated.

As regards the financial situation  
and its effect on the railways, the pre-  
sident of the G. T. P. is firmly convinced  
that the railways are approaching the  
breaking-point. What with increased  
operating expenses, wages, cost of  
equipment, etc., the tendency to reduce  
rates cannot go on, he declared em-  
phatically. The amount of traffic does  
not by any means warrant it.

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aiding him to overcome the craving he  
had for whiskey. I am thankful to say  
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London, April.—Mme. Calve, the Carmen of all time, has become a teacher of singing. Her school is to be different from all others; it is to be a travelling school.

There are famous teachers who train their pupils always at their headquarters in Paris or Rome or in Germany. Mme. Calve will have no real headquarters. Her picked band of students will journey with her from country to country, they will practice singing in Paris, in Rome, in Vienna, perhaps even in London.

"I want to give my pupils chances that never came my way," said Mme. Calve.

"When I made my debut I had studied only in Paris. When later, as a known artist, I visited Italy and listened to the best known singers of Rome and Naples I was amazed at the things concerning my art which I did not know."

"My girls will be able to become finished artists so much more quickly than by the method of completing a singing course in one town. They will be able to study the language of the countries we shall visit, the acting and singing traditions."

In the summer the diva's charges will accompany her to her romantic-looking castle—the Chateau de Caubriers in the Cevennes. Two masters will be in permanent residence there, and besides voice culture the girls will be taught elocution and stage deportment.

Mme. Calve, however, has decided not to appear again on the operatic stage.

There is a time, she says, when we

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should all know—the time to retire. I think also that there is a time when one ought no longer to be photographed. I shall never be photographed again. I have sworn it. The last time was five years ago. As for public appearances—well, just a few in France every now and again. But not in the big capitals of Europe."

So far Mme. Calve has found American girls among her most apt pupils. "American girls," she said, "are very ambitious. They work hard at their lessons, and America ought to produce great prima donnas, for many countries, musical countries, have assisted to make up the American type."

## LIVES WITH BULLET IN HEART. Man Who Tried to End Life Saved by Curious Operation.

Vienna, April.—A bullet in the heart is no longer a necessarily mortal lesion. This has been proved by Dr. Finsterer, who presented the other day to the medical society here the case of a man who attempted suicide, and who was found, shot in the street. Brought to the nearest police station the man was from all appearances in a hopeless condition, the pulse having all but stopped. Dr. Finsterer first injected camphor and then placed the patient under the Roentgen rays to ascertain the exact location of the wound. It was found that the bullet had lodged in the right ventricle and moved about freely with each expansion and contraction of the major organ. After satisfying himself that the extraction of the bullet would mean almost certain death to the patient Dr. Finsterer sewed up the heart externally, with the result that after a fortnight the operation was pronounced a complete success.

Four weeks later the bullet had become fixed in the tissues of the lower part of the ventricle, where it is causing no discomfort worth mentioning to the patient, who will carry the memento of his desperate attempt about with him for the rest of his life.

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## CHARLTON HAS PRAISE FOR 1915 EXPOSITION

Grand Trunk Advertiser Show  
Will Be New World  
Standard

Montreal, April 22.—H. R. Charlton, general advertising agent of the Grand Trunk and Grand Trunk Pacific railways, has returned to his headquarters in Montreal after a business trip to San Francisco. While in California Mr. Charlton arranged for an early start to be made on the construction of the handsome pavilion which is to house the exhibits of the Grand Trunk and Grand Trunk Pacific railways at the Panama-Pacific exposition next year. Mr. Charlton has visited most of the big exhibitions of the past 25 years, and he states that for beauty of situation, grandeur of buildings and general scheme the San Francisco exposition will mark a new world standard.

Five of the great main exhibit palaces are nearing completion, and individual exhibitors will begin the installation of their show pieces this fall so that everything should be ready for the opening in February next. A distinct note of architectural beauty marks these structures. They are delicate and white and gleaming, giving the exposition grounds a fairy line appearance when lit up at night. The Canadian government building is making headway, and it will compare well with those of the 34 other nations, who have accepted the invitations to take part in the celebration marking the opening of the Panama canal.

## GERMAN NEWSPAPERS ARE AGAINST AMERICA

With Mexico as Part of United States  
Country Would Be More Dangerous Says Post.

Berlin, April 22.—The Post closes a bitter anti-American editorial with the following words: "Germany has no reason to desire an American victory. The American colossus would thereby grow still more gigantic and become more dangerous for us economically than it already is."

The Post declares that the United States has for years had an eye on its southern neighbor and has increased its influence by argument, trickery and force, until "political aspirations have joined what were formerly only economic purposes."

It repeats the assertions that the United States was back of the downfall of Diaz and Madero and "that the comedy is about to become a tragedy" involving Mexico's struggle for freedom and independence.

The Voerwants declares that the pretext of American intervention in Mexico is trifling and adds:

"If the United States gains its end, the result will be that Mexico will become more than ever the domain of American trusts—the delectable result of the policy of a Democratic president, who has always boasted so loudly to his opposition to capitalism."

## SEVEN STEAMERS HELD IN ICE OF SOO RIVER

Westerly Wind Clears Thunder Bay  
Which is Now Easy of Access.

Port Arthur, Ont., April 22.—A wireless message from the steamer Harvester, which is in the Soo river about twenty miles below the canal, states that she, with six other boats, is stuck in the ice, and the captain says it will be Thursday before he can get through. A westerly gale has driven the ice back to Whitefish point, above the Soo, and boats will not be able to get past that place until there is a change in the weather conditions. The same westerly winds have almost cleared the ice out of Thunder bay, and it is now quite easy of access for steamers and boats of all kinds.

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## WOMAN LOSES SENSES LOOKING AT PICTURE

Russian Woman Overcome by  
Scene of Shipwreck in  
Edmonton Theatre

Edmonton, Alta., April 22.—One shipwreck on the Atlantic and the flickering representation of another, shown on a motion picture screen in a local theatre, were responsible for the insanity of Ksanla Zaplotinski, who was taken in charge by the Edmonton police on Monday and held, until to-day, when she was given into the care of her brother.

Through an interpreter, the brother explained that he came to Canada from Russia, and took up a homestead, after which he sent passage money to his sister. The trip over was a terrible ordeal, and during a six-day storm the craft on which she was sailing became partly submerged and the survivors were picked up by a passing American boat. Landed in Montreal the girl appealed to the Russian consul there, who got into communication with her brother, and she was eventually started on the last lap of her journey to the west.

She arrived last Tuesday. On Saturday she was taken about the city to see the sights of her new home, and was taken into a picture house.

## FIGHTING CONTINUED THROUGHOUT THE NIGHT

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In the sandhills back in the interior, where it is reported from Mexican sources they are expecting to be joined by reinforcements from the capital.

This withdrawal, however, was not entirely unpremeditated. Those watching on the ships observed, through their glasses large forces of Mexicans on the hills on the outskirts of the city, apparently with the intention of flanking a battalion of marines in the railway yards and along Montesinos street, which runs east and west not far from the American consulate.

Instantly the five-inch guns of the Prairie let go, breaking the Mexican formation and causing a hasty retreat. This ended the flanking movement.

Only a few minutes before, three-inch guns of the Prairie were used effectively, near shore. A small detachment of the Mexicans had gained positions near the custom house, and concealed marksmen were causing trouble. A few shots from the Prairie's guns served to silence that position. From time to time the guns played their shells along the line of the shore, keeping that territory comparatively free of sharpshooters.

Mexico City, April 15 (via Havana, April 22).—The following dispatch was sent by mail to Havana in order to avoid the censorship established by General Huerta, which is more strict than at any time heretofore: "Every telegraph wire out of Mexico City—commercial, railroad or cable—is now watched over by a censor chosen from among the most reliable and intelligent men in the government telegraph service."

"These censors frankly inform would-be senders of dispatches that it is not a question of the veracity of the messages, nor whether they disclose military movements, but is merely a question of suppressing all news not favorable to the government."

"Code messages are absolutely prohibited, with the exception only of bank telegrams. The bankers of Mexico succeeded in having the embargo on these messages raised, but

## COULD NOT PUT HANDS IN WATER

Salt Rheum Began with Itching and Burning. Watery Pimples. Cuticura Soap and Ointment Cured in Two Weeks.

L'Annee & Brilliant, Que.—"I suffered with salt rheum for nine months. It began, by itching and burning and my hands broke out in watery pimples and I could not sleep, only scratch my hands and they would bleed. The pimples were small and white, about the size of pin heads filled with water. I could not put my hands in water at all."

"I tried \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ but found no relief until I used Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I put the Cuticura Ointment on my hands after washing them with the Cuticura Soap and in two weeks they were perfectly cured." (Signed) Miss Bridget A. Brand, May 17, 1913.

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## CABINET RESIGNATIONS EMPHATICALLY DENIED

Washington, D. C., April 22.—The White House to-day requested the publication of this statement: "Secretary Tumulty denied emphatically to-day as wholly unfounded reports that any member of the cabinet contemplated resigning. He said that this subject had not been considered by the president or by any member of the cabinet and had never been discussed."

The statement was issued in connection with a report that Secretary Bryan was about to resign.

Washington, D. C., April 22.—It was reported here late to-day that the army and navy board had recommended the restoration of the embargo on arms at the Mexican border and that the matter had been taken up with Secretary Bryan, who now has it under consideration.

## MUNITIONS FOR HUERTA SENT BACK TO GERMANY

Washington, D. C., April 22.—Disposition of the guns and ammunition in the cargo of the German vessel Yorpan, which were held up at Vera Cruz when Admiral Fletcher took the port, was arranged for at a conference between Secretary of State Bryan and Ambassador von Bernstorff, of Germany, to-day. The captain of the vessel, being unable to secure clearance papers at Vera Cruz, will return the cargo to its former owners in Germany, although the Huerta government had paid in advance for the munitions.

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### BOY SCOUTS.

We have received the subjoined letter from His Honor the Lieut.-Governor of British Columbia, Hon. T. W. Patterson:

The 20th of April, 1914, at Government House, Victoria, B. C.

Dear Sir: His Royal Highness the Governor-General is very desirous of raising a central fund to provide for the cost of controlling and directing the work of the Boy Scouts throughout the Dominion, and more especially to cover the expenses and salary of a travelling secretary.

Whilst the eastern provinces have responded most liberally to this appeal, there does not appear to have been the same interest shown in the west.

His Royal Highness, however, considers the cause so meritorious, and is personally so desirous of placing it on a regular and satisfactory footing before the close of his term of office that he has asked me to appeal for subscriptions of any amount that will indicate the interest of the people of British Columbia in a movement which he considers of growing importance to the Dominion.

I have the honor to be, sir,  
Your obedient servant,  
THOS. W. PATTERSON,  
Lieutenant-Governor.

The above appeal is made in behalf of a worthy cause. There still is considerable misapprehension respecting the aim and purpose of the organization brought into existence through the efforts of Sir Robert Baden-Powell. Many people refuse to support the movement in any way because they have been led to believe in some manner or other that it is "tinged with militarism." So far from this being the case that its founder, himself a soldier who has served with distinction, has declared his repugnance to war as an abomination, repulsive to true humanity even in its mildest manifestations. The motto of every Scout is to perform at least one good action every day. British Columbia ought to respond liberally to this appeal from the Governor-General through the Lieut.-Governor.

### THE REGISTRY OFFICE.

The Colonist has made a belated discovery. It is that there is something lacking in the administration of the Victoria registry office. Patrons of this particular establishment of the government, which comes directly under the supervision of the esteemed Attorney-General, have been uttering complaints of incivility, inattention, lack of system, and sometimes of "something, something of extortion, for years." The Times repeatedly has called attention to the shortcomings of the office, to congestion of business in it, and yet our contemporary never made a demand upon its friend and patron the Attorney-General to step in, insist upon reforms and establish efficiency.

Doubtless there still is much to be desired in the conduct of the office, but is not that true of every department of the government service? The average provincial civil servant has been taught by some one, or has assumed of his own volition, that he is not the servant but the master of the public. Doubtless Mr. Hanington, backed by his arrogant master and buttressed by a land registry act that may be accounted a finished work of that supreme human being, has fallen into the common run. But Mr. Hanington is not the responsible party, and should not be personally attacked for the shortcomings of the office. Indeed, we understand that under the present official's regime marked improvements have been made in the administration of the registry office. Persons who have business there still complain that they are unduly delayed at the counter when they desire to search titles and that all the consideration to which they are entitled is not accorded them by certain of the employees. But on the whole reforms in administration have been made, and while there yet is something to be accomplished, it is the Attorney-General as the author of the land registry act which is at the root of recent grievances who is primarily and constitutionally responsible.

Why not place the responsibility where it belongs instead of attacking an official who cannot retort upon his assailants?

### ROYAL VISIT TO FRANCE.

The King and Queen are returning in state the visit of President Poincaré to London a few months ago, and history will describe the proceeding as one of the signal events of the present day. Europe regards the visit as more than a spectacular interchange of courtesies between the heads of two great and friendly countries. It has a political significance no less important than the celebrated meeting of Henry III. and Francis I. on the Field of the Cloth of Gold, for it strengthens the bond of amity established a decade ago through the powerful personal influence of King Edward, who did more than any monarch in history to eradicate the suspicion and distrust with which the two powers regarded one another.

In constitutionally governed countries the powers of rulers are limited. They cannot on their own initiative engage in international agreements with the heads of other domains, but by setting an example in personal intercourse, and encouraging friendly intimacy between the different peoples, they can do more to raise the barriers erected by centuries of racial antipathy than the most solemn concordats ratified by parliaments.

The entente cordiale between Great Britain and France is an almost miraculous illustration of what a frank and unaffectedly friendly foreign ruler can accomplish in the way of international concord. Britain and France had been hereditary foes for centuries. The relations between the two nations were chequered with even more distrust than that which characterizes the attitude of France and Germany towards one another at the present time. Crecy, Agincourt, Fontenoy, Blenheim and Waterloo were memories which seemed destined to stand between the two nations, and reconciliation for all time. Sixteen years ago they were on the brink of war over the Fashoda affair, but all these formidable obstacles vanished like mist before the sunshine of goodwill, irradiated by a monarch who preferred to be known as the Peace-maker than as a prince in shining armor with sword rattling in its scabbard. Frenchmen now warm themselves in the glow of Napoleon's glory without bitterly remembering that it was British money and statesmanship which formed the backbone of the European coalition that brought the Man of Destiny to his ruin. An exchange of state visits between the German Emperor and the President of France, so carried out as to catch the sentiment and imagination of the two peoples, would work wonders in removing the asperities which, like a miasma, revolve around Alsace-Lorraine.

In some quarters it is suggested that the entente cordiale be given the force of a formally inscribed treaty. There is a certain class of unimaginative people in the world who are never satisfied unless every aspect of international sentiment is embodied in a statute. As a matter of fact, a formal treaty of alliance would be less enduring than a friendly understanding without a scrap of state paper to show that it exists. A treaty binding Great Britain to stand by France in fair or foul weather would make the normally sultry international atmosphere of Europe suttler still. An entente cordiale which involves no obligation on the part of either power to engage in an unjustifiable war in the other's behalf has a tendency to safeguard the world's peace. Great Britain through this understanding has been able to disarm the suspicion and dislike of France. If she can draw into the charmed circle the armored Teuton across the Rhine, she will have solved the great problem of Europe in such a way as to banish the grim spectre of war from the Old World.

### A STATE OF WAR.

Despite its technical definition, a state of war actually exists between the United States and Mexico. The American seizure of the customs house and the section of Vera Cruz immediately surrounding it was resisted by the Mexicans, and hostilities ensued with loss of life on both sides. To-day the United States troops are engaged in taking possession of the entire town, which will not be accomplished without further bloodshed. It is reported that President Huerta has demanded the recall of Washington's representative in Mexico and has summoned home the Mexican ambassador to the United States. If these reports are true, it means that Huerta is determined to resist the big republic's demand for reparation to the bitter end, preferring his elimination by that route to the perilous prospect of falling into the tender hands of General Villa.

It may be taken for granted that the American people will not be satisfied with a salute to the flag. The verbiage of a resolution adopted by congress is significant on that point. President Wilson's message was aimed at Huerta and the recent indignities suffered by the United States government at his hands. The resolution giving the president authority to employ American arms to enforce reparation amplified the complaint. "One hundred

and fifty Americans have perished on Mexican soil," said Senator Lodge. "I cannot in demanding atonement for the insult at Tampico overlook the outrages. . . . I cannot be put in a position where I appear to pick and choose between the factions that to-day tear Mexico asunder." Obviously the minimum reparation which the Americans will accept is the elimination of Huerta and such government as he has. President Wilson cannot withdraw now even if he would.

What course will the constitutionalists of Carranza and Villa pursue? If they are wise they will keep out of the trouble on the ground that the quarrel is not between their provisional government and Washington. If they intervene it is a dead certainty that all their operations, losses, campaigning and victories will have been wasted. So far not one American soldier has entered their territory and none is likely to do so as long as they behave themselves. At the same time there is no assurance that if Huerta is eliminated the Americans will hand the reins of government over to them. Villa's blood-curdling atrocities have shown clearly that no matter what government is set up he cannot be permitted to have any voice in it. An election would have to be held and Washington might be prepared to recognize Carranza if he proved to be the choice of the people who know enough to vote. He is a better man than either Huerta or Villa, for whose misdeeds he has never been held wholly responsible, because he never has been in a position to prevent them. But whoever becomes president must have behind him the authority of the United States. The days of an absolutely independent Mexico are numbered. It will be another Cuba as far as its administration is concerned, and Cuba never was so contented and prosperous in its history as it is to-day.

Hostilities between the United States and Mexico cannot be dignified by the name war. With American battleships bottling up every harbor, shutting off supplies from overseas, and American troops equipped with the most perfect implements of war science has devised, the conflict would consist principally of running guerilla exchanges on a par with the British skirmishes with dacoits. This is irritating and expensive, and France is at it most of the time in northern Africa, but it is only war in miniature. For the origin of it we must look to the Diaz regime, which concession grabbers everlastingly are lamenting. During that iron-handed administration the people were reduced to penance and misery, and no attempt was made to civilize them. That is why Washington has such a perplexing problem on its hands.

### NO BRITISH FIRMS NEED APPLY.

The Hon. L. P. Pelletier says the federal government will have its ships constructed in Canadian yards but will do nothing to encourage powerful outside companies to establish big shipbuilding plants in Canada. This was in reply to a deputation of Quebec and Lewis citizens, who called upon him in connection with the projected establishment of a branch of the Armstrong works at the latter point. Mr. Pelletier is quoted as declaring that "the government had no intention of creating a precedent by subsidizing a powerful British concern to enter the Canadian field and compete, with this added advantage, against the companies already established."

But the government of which Nationalist Pelletier is so conspicuous an ornament will do nothing for the firms already established in Canada. It will not even have its ships built in the Dominion. The Malaspina and Galliano, the two new fishery protection cruisers now on this coast, were constructed in the United Kingdom. Nationalist Pelletier's real reason for refusing to encourage the establishment by big British firms of plants in Canada is not because of the advantage they would have over local industries already in existence here. It is because he fears they would exert their powerful influence towards the creation of a Canadian navy, which might "take young Canadians to some foreign seas, where they would die fighting England's battles." While his Imperialistic colleagues in Mr. Borden's cabinet all are declaring that Canadian yards "already established" are incapable of building warships, Mr. Pelletier will see that nothing is done to bring to this country firms that can build them.

This means that if Mr. Pelletier and his Nationalists continue to impose their will upon Mr. Borden, the Yarrow, one of the powerful British firms to which the Postmaster-General so strongly objects, need expect no assistance in the development of their industry at Esquimalt. How different was the course for which Laurier was so bitterly attacked by that novel Nationalist-Tory combination! He offered a policy which, while not subsidizing British firms to the disadvantage of Canadian yards, encouraged them to establish branches in this country and guaranteed them continuous work.

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stand, and the stand taken by the other members of the finance committee, is unassailable. It is that the business of the municipality, if our credit is to be maintained, must be conducted on sound business lines, just as the business of any private individual must be conducted if it is to succeed. The condition of affairs in Victoria to-day, and the condition of many other cities in the province and in the Dominion, largely is due to the fact that the principle laid down by the Mayor, by Aid. McNeill, and by the other members of the finance committee, has not been maintained. The charitable branch of the city's service must be kept distinct from the business end.

The entire community will regret to learn of the death of Mrs. W. J. Macdonald, which occurred this morning after a lingering illness. During her long residence here, extending over sixty years, the deceased lady was noted for her many acts of philanthropy and unselfish devotion to the interests of others. We know we speak for the public generally in extending to the bereaved husband, Hon. W. J. Macdonald, and family, an expression of sympathy with them in their affliction.

So the Hon. H. E. Young is nursing the Saanich constituency. This accounts for his several incursions into that direction recently. It also explains why Saanich was one of the few districts whose appropriation did not feel the paring knife when the estimates were voted last session. But what of our genial friend, Hon. D. M. Eberts? Can it be that he is slated for the Senate—the cold Ottawa winters, the bad water, the wearying train journey? If not, whither goest thou, Mr. Speaker?



Letters for publication in Daily Times must be received at the Times Office not later than the day before the day of publication. When received later they will be held over until the following day. While unobjectionable anonymous communications will be published, the name and address of every writer of such letters must be given to the editor.

### RE BOSCOWITZ AND ESQUIMALT MUNICIPALITY.

Mr. Jos. Boscowitz asks the Times to publish the following letter, which he says was sent to the Colonist, but only part of it was printed in that paper: The Editor Colonist Office, City.

Dear Sir,—I was astonished to see a paragraph in the Colonist of the 21st to the effect that a communication from counsel for Mr. Joseph Boscowitz was laid before Reeve-Saunders and the Esquimalt councilors last night to the effect that Mr. Boscowitz has decided to withdraw his proposed action against the municipality.

It would be difficult to find elsewhere so many mistakes in one single paragraph. In the first place the matter rectified was not taken up before the council last night, but I am informed by the municipality's solicitor that your reporter was given access last night to the minutes of the meeting held the previous Monday and that with the aid of these minutes and his imagination he framed a paragraph which was published in your paper as news.

It might interest you to know that on the 8th inst. I wrote a letter, without prejudice, to Mr. McIntosh as follows: "My client being about to make an amicable settlement with Messrs. Yarrow, would be prepared to discontinue his action against the Esquimalt municipality upon the terms that the action be struck out, without costs to either party."

Mr. McIntosh wrote to me on the 16th inst., advising me that the council would accede to the discontinuance of the action without costs to either party. In the meantime negotiations for settlement with Messrs. Yarrow, Limited, having failed, I wrote to Mr. McIntosh on the 17th inst., notifying him thereof, and on the 18th inst. Mr. McIntosh wrote back to me acknowledging my letter.

I think it was on the 15th inst. or 16th inst. that I had a long conversation over the telephone with a member of your staff and informed him that the action against the Esquimalt municipality would proceed.

As the paragraph is calculated to damage Mr. Boscowitz in his action (kindly note not proposed action), I ask you in fairness to publish this letter.

C. E. S. PRELAN,  
Solicitor for Joseph Boscowitz.

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Patent Button Boots, with long narrow toe and cloth top, also with dull kid tops.

Patent Button Boots, with short vamp and kid top, also with cloth top and toe cap.

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Black Kid Boots in button and lace styles, patent toes.

Patent Colonial Pumps, with bright buckle and spool heel.

Patent Pumps, with ribbon bow and Cuban heel, also with low heel.

Gum-Metal Colonial, bright buckle and spool heel.

Gum-Metal Pumps, with silk bow and Cuban heel.

Velvet Colonial, fancy buckle and new heel.

Satin Colonial, steel buckle and spool heel.

Suede Colonial, steel buckle and Cuban heel.

Patent Pumps, short toe, leather bow and a very smart heel.

—First Floor

## Japanese Rugs and Squares Marked at Clearing Prices for Thursday

This sale will afford a special opportunity for those furnishing their summer homes or camp to secure a nice floor covering at a specially low price.

Heavy Damask Japanese Squares, Worth \$4.50, to sell at \$2.85—There are only 21 of these Squares, and they are sure to sell quickly at this price. These Squares are made on purpose for verandas, tents and summer cottages, and measure 6 ft. x 12 ft.

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"The Rivermen," by Steward Edward White.

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"The Squaw Man," by Faversham and Royle.

"Queen," by Henry Sidnor Harrison.

"Just Patty," by Jean Webster.

"What Happened to Mary," by Robt. C. Brown.

"Riders of the Purple Sage," by Jane Grey.

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Honeycomb Towels, regular \$1.25, medium size, per dozen \$95c.  
Reg. \$1.50, good size, per dozen \$1.20.  
Reg. \$2.50, large size, per dozen \$2.20.  
Reg. \$3.00 extra large size, per dozen \$2.50.

Turkish Towels, Values to 40c, Clear at 25c Each—Our 25c table will contain both white and colored Turkish Towels in both hand size and bath size. Some extra heavy weaves and not a towel in the lot that will not give entire satisfaction.

Extra Heavy Bath Towels, Regular \$1.50, for \$1.00 per Pair—A large size, fine weave, and with red stripe. Just the towel for bathers. Linen Roller Toweling, Regular 15c, for 10c Yd.—Five pieces only of this quality for sale. Glass or Tea Cloths, Regular \$3.60, for \$3.00 per Dozen—Our best quality linen toweling; a fine weave, good width and red or blue borders.

White Cambrics, Regular 20c Value for 15c; Regular 25c Value, for 20c—Both of these qualities are 36 in. wide, and perfectly woven. We sold out our cheaper qualities sooner than we expected so have reduced these to take their place until the new stock arrives. Gingham, 25c Grades Selling at 20c Yard—These are mostly in blue and white and black and white checks, but there are also a few plain shades included.

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## TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Victoria Times, Monday, April 22, 1889.

The number of fishermen employed in the fishery business in this province last year was 5,940. The number of craft was 2,166.

The St. George Society will banquet at the Clarence to-morrow evening. Miss Noel Anderson is preparing a feast for the gods.

The ceremony of laying the corner stone of the Royal Jubilee hospital, for which extensive preparations had been made, was postponed until to-morrow in consequence of the state of the weather. Indications were that the whole day would be wet and disagreeable. About noon the clouds disappeared and the sun shone out warm and bright. The change, however, came too late as the committee had decided some hours before to postpone the event.

The sealing schooner Viva, Capt. Baker, arrived on Sunday, having sailed up the coast from San Francisco. She has 589 skins, an excellent catch for the time out.

Chairs for High School.—The chairs for the assembly hall of the new high school were delivered yesterday and will be installed at once.

School Trustees Resign.—William Campbell, secretary of the Saanich school board, and James Owens, one of the trustees, have resigned from the end of May owing to their removal from the district. Mr. Campbell is taking charge of work at Sooke lake for the city and Mr. Owens, a provincial commissioner, is being transferred to Fort George.

Postal Clerks Elect Officers.—J. B. Sinclair has been chosen by the Victoria branch of the Western Canada Postal Clerks' association to represent the local branch at the annual convention of the association in June at Edmonton. At the annual meeting L. F. Hawkes was elected president, Charles Bridger vice-president; John B. Sinclair secretary and H. G. Hummer treasurer.

Move Into New Building.—The new school house at Strawberry Vale was put into commission this morning, when the children moved into it. There was no ceremony but the teachers and children made a little one of their own on taking possession of the premises. The old school will be maintained in case of need of additional room or for manual training purposes.

Long-Delayed Proclamation.—The last issue of Canada Gazette contains the announcement, two years after its receipt at Ottawa, of a imperial order-in-council which was passed on February 16, 1912, and which brought into effect the extradition treaty with Greece which was assented to by the representatives of the king and the king of the Hellenes on December 30, 1911.

Pioneer Remembered.—The name of a pioneer of the Cariboo is remembered in a recent decision of the geographic board of Canada, giving the name Bowron to the lake and river sometimes known as Bear which are tributary to the Fraser river in the Cariboo country. The late John Bowron was for many years government agent at Barkerville and was a highly respected resident of that district. In their last list of decisions the board include a number of British Columbia cases.

Truck Hit by Car.—Alleging that a motorman on the B. C. Electric railway was negligent, William Hipwood claims \$236 damages from the company for his loss as the result of an accident on June 12, 1913, when an Esquimalt car struck a truck loaded with freight opposite the canteen grounds in Esquimalt road. Trial of Hipwood's action was begun in County court this morning before Judge Lampan, and H. Moody, the driver of the truck, was the first witness. The defendant, represented by H. B. Robertson and A. D. King, contends that the truck turned across the track so close to the car that it was impossible to stop. J. A. Alkman is counsel for Hipwood.

Bank Clearings.—The bank clearings in Victoria for the week ending Tuesday, April 21, were \$2,133,943.

Tenders for New Church.—Tenders will be received until Thursday for the excavation of the site at Fisgard and Quadra streets where the First Presbyterian church plans the erection of a new building. The plans are now being drawn for the structure, which will probably include a gymnasium.

Cup Presented.—In behalf of the four debaters who recently won the Sears cup from Vancouver high school in the assembly hall of the new building yesterday formally presented that trophy to Principal Willis with an expression of hope that the cup would remain long in his custody. Hearty cheers greeted the ceremony. The other three debaters were Paul Clyde, Gordon Campbell and Linden Fairbairn.

Take a Hot Drink.—Take it out of a Janus Vacuum Bottle. They keep hot things hot for 24 hours; \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2 at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, 1302 Douglas. Phone 3712.

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## AN A B C THOUGHT FOR THE MERCHANT

Advertising creates a desire to see the goods advertised.

Advertising of a nationally distributed product in the local newspapers which are read by the people with whom you do business every day, will lead "that desire to see" right to your store.

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R. W. Clayton and Herman Herburger will open the Three Star Bakery, 1229 Cook street. R. W. Clayton is a first class baker and was an employee of Golden West Bakery until recently and asks the public to give him a trial. Opening day, 25 April. Watch the Times for list of prizes to be given.

His Father Dying.—An urgent message to the Victoria police detective department reads: "Will you kindly make inquiries if Ernie Barry is in Victoria. His father is dying." The wire was received from Peterboro, Ont.

Building in Oak Bay.—Building permits issued at Oak Bay within the past few days include a \$2,500 dwelling for H. Starkey on Florence street; a \$400 garage for H. Gilbert on Lansdowne road, and a \$116 garage on Hampshire road for C. T. Hearn.

New Post Office.—Knott & Jones of this city have been awarded the contract to erect a \$20,000 post office and customs house at Port Alberni. The structure will be of brick and stone and built along similar lines to the one at Duncan.

Is Convalescing.—This morning J. A. Taylor, manager here for the Royal Bank of Canada, received a cablegram stating that W. A. Lewthwaite, of Victoria, who is at present in London, is recovering rapidly from his recent illness.

Told of Dickens.—An Evening With Dickens was the title of a lecture delivered last evening before the Church of England Men's society of St. John's church by John W. Lethaby.

The speaker handled his subject in a most interesting manner and his remarks were listened to with wrapt attention by the many who attended. Among the numerous attractive slides shown were the original illustrations for "The Pickwick Papers," pictures of London scenes and views of unique relics of the great author. By special request the lecture is to be repeated Thursday evening, April 23 at St. Saviour's school, Victoria West, under the auspices of the Young People's society. The public will be welcomed.

A Pleasant Evening.—Court harmony, No. 4046, I. O. F. acted host at a very enjoyable social and dance last evening on the occasion of the court's entering its new lodge home at the Knights of Columbus hall, 724 Fort street. The first part of the evening was spent in the enjoyment of an excellent programme during which selections were given by the Foresters and their visiting friends. Among others who took part were Mrs. J. B. McCallum, Mrs. E. Parsons, Mrs. Morton, Mr. Thomas and the mandolin quartet. During the evening the past chief ranger of the court, A. L. Needles, was presented with a foresters' jewel in recognition of his services to the order while he was chief ranger of the court during the years 1912-1913. E. Parsons, the present chief ranger of the court, acted very acceptably as chairman over the proceedings. A capable committee served refreshments after the programme and the remainder of the evening was spent in taking advantage of the splendid polished dancing floor with which this up-to-date hall is provided.

CHANGED STREET NAMES.

New Designations for Several Thoroughfares Adopted by City Council.

The changes in street names which the city council has approved, as already reported, are repeated below in order to familiarize citizens with them. The changes are:

James street, Victoria West, to be Matland street.

Richmond avenue, south, to be Wolaseley street.

Regent street to be Opal street.

Park road to be Oliphant street.

Park lane to be Phillips street.

Selkirk road to be Portland road.

Clover lane to be Crocus lane.

Cross road to be Beaver road.

Garland avenue to be Westall avenue.

Fairfield terrace to be Franklin terrace.

Hulton street, north of Fort street, to be Lee avenue.

Hulton street to be Redfern street.

Andrew street, Victoria West, to be Seaford street.

## FRECKLES

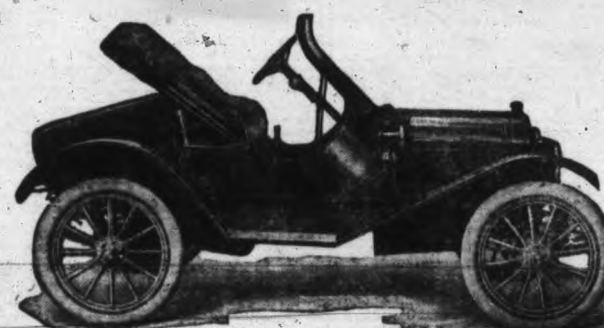
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This prescription for the removal of freckles was written by a prominent physician and is usually so successful in removing freckles and giving a clear, beautiful complexion that it is sold by druggists under guarantee to refund the money if it fails.

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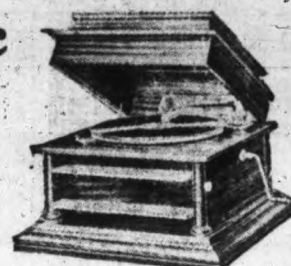
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# Along the Waterfront

Shipping News from Day to Day

## MADGE WINS RACE

### GUNHILD LEFT ASTERN

Older Quarantine Tender Beats New Addition From Here to Head

There may have been a time in the career of the steam yacht Gunhild when she was capable of reeling off a good thirteen knots, but when given an opportunity to show a good burst of speed yesterday afternoon she left the quarantine tender Madge's laurels undisturbed. The vessel which is now the property of the Dominion government, stacked up alongside the tender Madge on a little run to William Head and when the latter made her mooring ropes fast the Gunhild was half a mile astern.

Yesterday the new vessel which is to assist the Madge in tending to the William Head station made her first trip out of the harbor to the quarantine home. She steamed through the entrance about 3:45 o'clock and right in her wake was the Madge, heading in the same direction. The assertion was made that the Gunhild was several knots faster than the larger craft and the engineers on the Madge desired to show some of the waterfront frequenters they were wrong.

Made About 9 1/2 Knots. Both vessels cut the water at their best and according to reports the best the Madge made was 9 1/2 knots. Slowly the older tender out down the lead of her rival, which sought to take away from her what speed laurels she possessed, and a little way out overhauled her. The steam yacht continued to drop astern and the men on her had to be content to set a course in the wake of the Madge.

It was recently stated that the Gunhild could make a good 13 knots. There were a number of shilling men, however, who did not think that the craft was capable of it, for that is very good speed for a craft of her type and engine. But it was said that if the Gunhild ever got a chance she would demonstrate to the doubting Thomases. Yesterday the chance came and the race was decided.

It is said that the price paid for the new tender was \$13,500.

## WIRELESS REPORTS

April 22, 8 a. m.  
Point Grey—Clear; calm; 29.75; 40.  
In, 11:20 a. m., S. S. Camosun.  
Cape Lazo—Clear; N. W. light; 29.82; 40; sea smooth.  
Tatoosh—Clear; E. 10 miles; 29.75; 45; sea smooth. In, 4:15 a. m., freight steamer. Out, 8 a. m., S. S. Arizona.  
Pachena—Clear; calm; 29.82; 42; sea smooth.  
Estevan—Clear; calm; 29.82; 43; sea smooth.  
Triangle—Clear; S. E. light; 29.88; 40; sea moderate. Spoke, 8 p. m., S. S. Empress of India, position 50.11 N., 125.46 W.  
Ikeda—Overcast; calm; 29.82; 44; sea smooth.  
Prince Rupert—Overcast; calm; 29.89; 42; sea smooth. Out, S. S. Prince John 2:30 a. m. for Skidegate; S. S. Chelohsin, 9 p. m., southbound; S. S. Prince Albert and Princess Ena at dock.  
Dead Tree Point—Cloudy; N. W., 29.74; 46; sea smooth.  
Alert Bay—Cloudy; calm; 29.70; 40; sea smooth. Spoke, S. S. Lillock in ballast.

Noon.

Point Grey—Overcast; calm; 29.67; 41.  
Cape Lazo—Clear; calm; 29.70; 53; sea smooth.  
Tatoosh—Clear; S. W., 8 miles; 29.74; 53; sea smooth. In, 10:15 a. m., S. S. Yokohama Maru.  
Pachena—Clear; calm; 29.82; 57; sea smooth.  
Estevan—Clear; calm; 29.84; 47; sea smooth.  
Triangle—Clear; N. W., 23.80; 50; sea smooth.  
Ikeda—Cloudy; calm; 29.42; 57; sea smooth.  
Prince Rupert—Cloudy; calm; 29.98; 46; sea smooth.  
Dead Tree Point—Raining; S. E., 29.72; 50; sea moderate. In, S. S. Prince John, 11:20 a. m.  
Alert Bay—Overcast; calm; 29.60; 50; sea smooth.

## MAQUINNA SAILS TO-NIGHT.

At 11 o'clock to-night the C. P. R. steamer Princess Maquinna, Capt. Gilliam, will leave port for Holberg and way ports. She will take out a fair list of passengers and a good lot of freight.

## UMATILLA OFF FOR 'FRISCO.

Early this morning the Pacific Coast steamship Umatilla, Capt. Reilly, cleared for San Francisco, with a fair list of passengers and considerable cargo in her hold.

## KENT DUE ON COAST.

San Francisco, April 22.—The Union line freighter Kent will arrive here from Sydney April 25. She will alternate on the freight run between this coast and Australia regularly in conjunction with the Canada Cape. The latter vessel sails from Sydney in June.

## MANY TOURISTS WILL

### VISIT HERE IN 1915

Hundreds Will Come for Trip to Alaska and to and From San Francisco

Local steamship agents are of the opinion that 1915 will be one of the greatest years in the tourist business this city has ever known. Hundreds of easterners on their way to and from the great Panama exposition to be held at San Francisco, are expected to pay Victoria a visit. Also many people from the prairie towns and cities farther east on both sides of the line will come to this city to take passage on the C. P. R. steamer Princess Charlotte, which is to operate in the Alaska trade, and which will do an enormous business.

The Pacific Coast Steamship company appears very enthusiastic over the prospects of next year. The officials are planning to handle huge crowds of passengers out of Victoria and Seattle to San Francisco, and also for the return trip. A sea trip will no doubt appeal to the visitors from inland points. The company has just completed extensive alterations and repairs to its line steamships the Governor and President, and now has ordered the new liner Congress to go into retirement for a month for the carrying out of a number of improvements. All the other ships are being overhauled and made ready, and as one of the officials has said: "Our company is preparing for the greatest ocean passenger movement in the history of the Pacific."

Reputation Will Draw. The reputation which Victoria has established as a beautiful city will draw huge crowds here. The praises of the scenery of this district have been sung all over the continent, and the attraction will bring many to Vancouver Island. People from the eastern United States always express a desire to see Alaska. It has been the scene of so many gold strikes, and is rich in Indian history. The quaint native villages, the great glaciers and towering mountains and beautiful inland waters draw many people annually to Alaska. The entry of the steamer Princess Charlotte into this trade means a greater business for Alaska. The fine flyer will attract many tourists.

Taking into consideration the Panama fair and the Alaska trade, steamship men believe that 1915 will be a record year, and will far surpass even the number of visitors who came here the season when the rate war was on between here and Seattle, bringing thousands of people to this city.

## CAMOSUN ARRIVES IN.

The Union steamer Camosun is expected in port to-day from Bella Coola and way ports. She sails on another northbound trip late to-night.

## CHARMER FOR COMOX.

The C. P. R. steamer Charming cleared for Comox last night with a good list of passengers and freight.

## HOT ASHES SHOWERED

### ON SCHOONER'S DECK

Schooner Edyth, of Nova Scotia, Escapes Being Struck by Falling Meteor

Halifax, N. S., April 22.—Reporting an exciting experience at sea during the latter part of her voyage from Barbados, when in a terrific thunder storm a meteor burst above her and rained red hot ashes on her decks, the furious winds tearing her masts and rigging, the Nova Scotia schooner Edyth has just arrived at Halifax.

The Edyth left Barbados on March 20, and had ideal weather until within 200 miles of Halifax, and she struck the first of the gales. In this fierce weather the schooner had her foremast broken, after which the weather again became fine. Four days after the first storm, a fierce squall struck the vessel without warning, causing her to heel over to the water at a dangerous angle. The glass gave no sign of the storm and the weather being very fair with the ship running before a fair breeze up to that time. Captain O'Brien tried to get his ship round to run before the gale, but did not succeed before the masts were torn to ribbons. The electric storm that followed was one of the worst the captain had seen for years, one continuous crash of thunder and vivid flashes of lightning continued during the night. In the early hours of the morning the crew on watch saw a huge ball of fire flashing down towards the ship, and burst overhead with a noise like the report of a cannon showered red hot ashes on the deck all around the men. The meteor plunged into the sea a few yards from the vessel. No damage was done as the decks were wet and the burning metal was quickly extinguished.

The Edyth when again recovering herself, had run some 45 miles south of where the gale first struck her. Had the schooner had fair weather all the way, Captain O'Brien said, he would have made the passage from Barbados in 15 or 16 days, but as it was, the gullant little craft made splendid time under the conditions.

About May 4 Capt. Jarvis, local agent for Lord Kelvin's compasses and nautical instruments, expects the Royal Mail liner Glenroy, Capt. Holman, to arrive in the Royal Roads to receive a new set of compasses, sounding machines and other nautical paraphernalia required in deep-sea navigation. The liner is now at Seattle undergoing repairs, costing nearly \$45,000. She was badly damaged by fire at Portland, Ore., last month.

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## GEORGE IN FROM NORTH.

This morning the G. T. P. steamer Prince George, Capt. Donald, steamed into port from Stewart and Prince Rupert after an uneventful trip. She proceeded to Seattle, and will steam from Victoria for the north to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock. The George brought north with her a fair list of passengers.

## GRACE VESSELS MAY OMIT MEXICAN CALL

Unsettled Conditions Affect Salina Cruz Visits; Cuzco. Next Due Here

Advices which have been received by local agents of the Grace line state that the steamship Cuzco, en route from Norway via the west coast of South America and Salina Cruz, will arrive here about April 30. The Cuzco is bringing considerable Tehuantepec cargo, which she took on at Salina Cruz. It was landed at Vera Cruz from the following steamships: Wasenwald, Nestorian, Frankwald, Bavaria, Drammatist and Wray Castle, and rushed across Mexico on the Tehuantepec National railway. Besides this freight it is understood that the Cuzco has some nitrate for the Victoria Chemical works.

If conditions in the republic become any more unsettled than at present, it is possible Grace & Co. will have to omit the call at Salina Cruz. This company is not the first to try out the Mexican trade. Several lines have operated steamships between Victoria, Vancouver and Salina Cruz, and the unsettled condition of the southern republic has caused them to abandon the service. Often good business has been worked up, when the federalists and rebels got into further difficulties, and the following couple of ships got small cargoes as a result.

At the present time Grace has a good service. From here the ships under charter proceed to the sound to load cargoes for Australia. From Newcastle, N. S. W., the ships cross the Pacific with their holds full of coal to Valparaiso. They then call at nitrate ports along the Chilean coast and steam to Salina Cruz, where between 1,000 and 2,000 tons of cargo is picked up on nearly every call. In case of war between Mexico and a foreign power the ships would no doubt forsake the run in there.

The chartered steamship St. Hugo, which is following the Cuzco here, is due at Salina Cruz early next month. She is loading at Chilean ports, at present and will bring much nitrate north with her, considerable of which is consigned to the Victoria Chemical works. The St. Hugo may be the first of Grace's ships to omit the call at Salina Cruz.

## GERMAN BARQUES TO RACE

Tacoma, April 21.—Challenge for a sailing race to Europe, was conveyed to Capt. Kalesch, of the German barque Goldbek, yesterday from Capt. Wallis, of the German barque Barmbek, which is leaving the Columbia river to-day or to-morrow for Ipswich. The challenge was brought to Capt. Kalesch by Capt. C. Soht, of the German barque Tarpenbek, now loading on the Columbia river.

The Goldbek has 2,407,645 feet of lumber for London and the Barmbek has a cargo of wheat. The Goldbek is ready to leave port and Capt. Kalesch said yesterday he expected to tow out Wednesday. The Barmbek will have just a slight lead.

Capt. Kalesch has accepted the challenge. "The Barmbek is a smart vessel," said the skipper yesterday, "but I hope at least to keep up with her. Wheat is also considered a little better cargo than lumber when it comes to speed, but the Goldbek will not be far behind and, confidentially, I expect to beat the Barmbek, though modesty forbids me to boast."

## FIVE WERE DEPORTED

### SADO DID NOT CALL

Hindus on Way Back to Hongkong; Officials Went Out to Steamship

Efforts by members of the local Hindu colony to prevent the deportation of five of their fellow-countrymen on the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Sado Maru, sailing for the Orient yesterday afternoon, were outwitted by the agents of the line, and the men are now on their way across the Pacific to Hongkong; the port where they embarked. About 80 Hindus with their legal advisers were assembled on the outer docks awaiting the ship to dock when steps were to be taken to have the men put ashore, but the Sado Maru did not come to her dock.

The local agents learned of the Hindus plan and gathered the outgoing passengers at the G. T. P. docks, where a power boat was waiting. Customs immigration officials were on board to clear the Sado without making it necessary for her captain to come ashore. The launch slipped out past the outer docks and accompanied by the pilot boat headed for the liner, which was steaming in under a slow bell. Captain Asakawa, master of the vessel, evidently feared some complication when he saw two boats coming, and at once headed his command at full speed for neutral waters. When safely outside the line he hove to and the launches proceeded alongside. Things were then explained, the ship was entered and cleared, the passengers embarked and the Sado headed out to sea.

The local Hindus and their lawyers planned to get aboard the ship when she docked and secure affidavits from the five men ordered deported and then apply for habeas corpus. It was feared that the men would have been put ashore and the Nippon company subjected to heavy cost for lawsuits and maintenance of the men. It was to avoid this that the agents kept the ship from coming in.

## MAN LOST OVERBOARD AS A BABY IS BORN

St. John, N. B., April 22.—The C. P. R. steamer Tyrolia has arrived here from Liverpool after a very rough voyage. It was while the ship was pitching and rolling about during a severe storm that a young Irish woman gave birth to a child. It was a most dramatic voyage, for simultaneously with this event there came the dreadful cry of "man-overboard." The ship was brought round and a boat lowered immediately in the tremendous seas. It was learned that a young seaman while working near the rail had been thrown overboard.

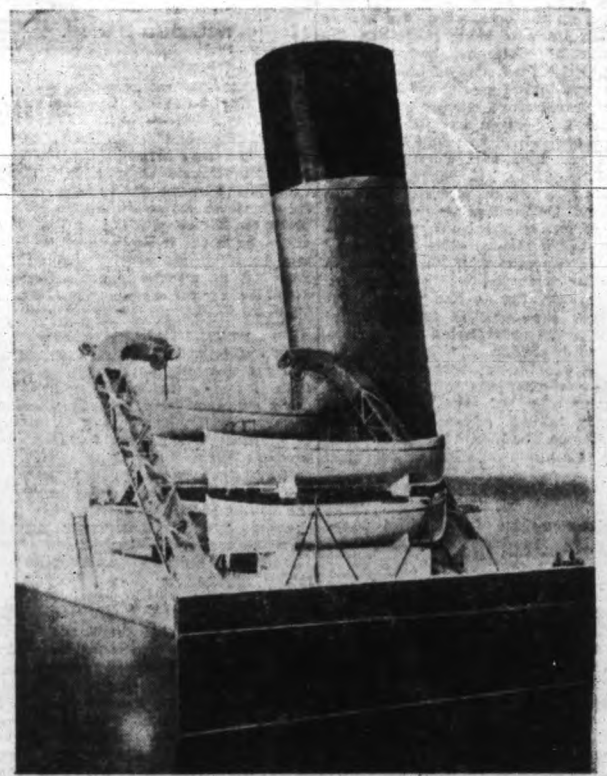
The ship was hove to for some time but no sign of the young seaman could be discovered. It so happened that during the voyage, at about the same time a life appeared on board the ship and another was taken away.

## EXCURSIONS TO ALASKA.

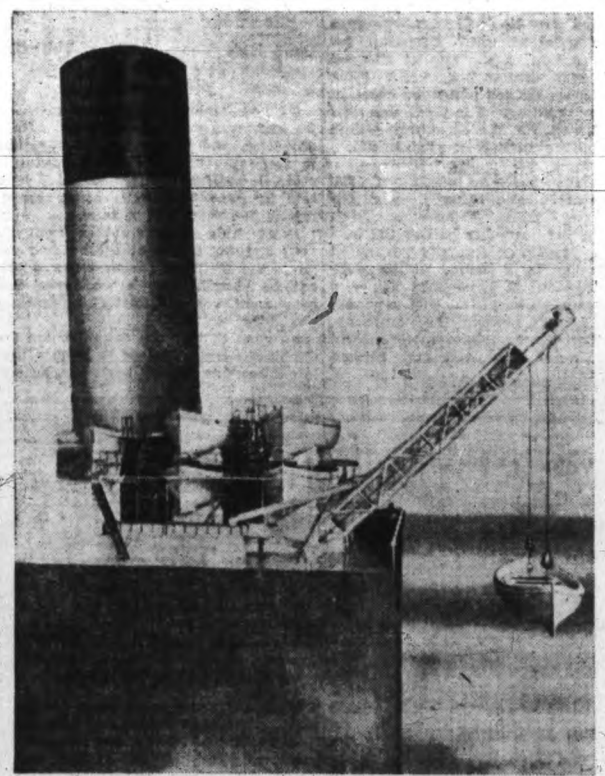
Inaugurating the C. P. R. summer tours to Alaska from Victoria and Vancouver, the fine passenger steamer Princess Alice will sail from this port on June 26. The Princess Alice will make four round trips in the Northern British Columbia and Alaskan service, sailing from Victoria on June 26, July 10, July 24 and August 7.

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The derricks being electrically driven by dynamos situated on the boat deck itself are absolutely independent of any other machinery on the ship and this method also assures the lowering of the boats in very much less time than was previously possible. Still another advantage of the derrick gear is that passengers can take their places in the boats with the utmost safety before the boats are lifted from the vessel's deck, and as the derricks are so constructed that fully-laden boats can be lowered far out from the ship's side, the risk of smashing them in bad weather is minimized.

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## TENDER LEEBRO IN PORT AFTER MISERABLE TRIP

After a very miserable trip to points along the west coast as far as Clayoquot, the lighthouse tender Leebro, Capt. Hunter, returned to port yesterday afternoon. The vessel was away about three weeks, and drenching rains, heavy seas and several hard blows were met. From this port the Leebro proceeded to Cape Beale and Pachena to land stores and provisions for the lighthouses. There was such a heavy sea running that for five days the steamer was forced to run back to Banfield creek, being unable to send the goods ashore.

A new day-beacon, with a concrete base, was erected in Rocky passage, Clayoquot Sound, and this was done during a continuous downpour of rain. One of the officers remarked upon the arrival of the steamer yesterday: "Victoria seems to be the only place on the coast where there is good weather. We go from one end of British Columbia to the other, and always find miserable weather, but when we get near Victoria the sky clears and the sun comes out."

It has not been decided as yet as to whether the Leebro will be ordered on the ways or will be sent away on another cruise. She is in need of cleaning and painting.

## TIMES SHIPPING CHART

Steamer	Master	Tonnage	Agents	From	Due
Teanitic	White	3,114	H. C. Sugar Refinery	Cuba	April 23
Harleiden	Soares	2,721	(Sugar)	Peru	April 23
Empress of India	Malley	3,053	C. P. R.	Hongkong	April 21
Yokohama Maru	Wada	4,920	Great Northern	Hongkong	April 23
Archibute	Nelson	3,415	Balfour, Guthrie	Liverpool	April 23
Sudmark	Foray	3,176	Gardner Johnson	Hamburg	April 24
St. Hugo	Stewart	3,053	Balfour, Guthrie	Salina Cruz	April 26
Radnorshire	Morrisby	2,723	C. P. R.	Sydney	April 27
Niagara	Miles	2,773	Balfour, Guthrie	Salina Cruz	April 28
Cuzco	Stewart	3,115	H. C. Sugar Refinery	Peru	May 1
Mexico Maru	Kobayashi	3,869	R. P. Rithet	Hongkong	May 1
Empress of Asia	Robinson	3,892	C. P. R.	Hongkong	May 3
Kent	Stewart	3,115	C. P. R.	Sydney	May 3
Awa Maru	Tomimaga	3,842	G. Northern	Hongkong	May 7
Antiochus	Flynn	3,723	Dodwell & Co.	Liverpool	May 9
Ten of Ruby	Stewart	3,115	C. P. R.	Hull	May 10
Monteagle	Dayton	3,053	C. P. R.	Hongkong	May 12
Chicago Maru	Goto	3,840	R. P. Rithet	Hongkong	May 15
Empress of Japan	Hopcroft	3,040	C. P. R.	Sydney	May 16
Shinkoku Maru	Irisawa	4,000	G. Northern	Hongkong	May 21
Benefactor	Smith	3,439	Balfour, Guthrie	Liverpool	May 23
Maruma	Yamanoto	3,869	C. P. R.	Hongkong	May 24
Canada Maru	Yamanoto	3,869	C. P. R.	Hongkong	May 24
Empress of Russia	Davidson	3,789	C. P. R.	Hongkong	May 30
Ticon	Rosenhausen	3,630	Dodwell & Co.	Liverpool	June 6
San Francisco	Stewart	3,115	C. P. R.	San Francisco	June 10
Carmanville	New	3,115	F. D. & B.	Hull	June 10
Glenloch	Stewart	3,115	F. D. & B.	Hull	June 15
Transvaal	Motorship	2,907	East Asiatic Co.	Antwerp	June 16
Sambha	Phillips	2,907	Gardner Johnson	Hamburg	June 18
Nakura	Phillips	2,907	C. P. R.	Sydney	June 22
Moskva	Phillips	2,907	C. P. R.	Sydney	July 1
Titan	Read	3,890	Dodwell & Co.	Liverpool	July 4
Proteus	Stewart	3,115	Balfour, Guthrie	Liverpool	Aug. 1
Protailau	Milne	3,115	Dodwell & Co.	Liverpool	Aug. 1



## M. CALMETTE AND THE MYSTERY OF A LETTER

By A. G. G. in London News and Leader

It is not improbable that Madame Caillaux's pistol shot will reverberate through history like "the whiff of grapeshot." The episode is true to the spirit of French affairs. They move in this catastrophic way, and are not seldom fired by some feminine hand and mixed up with some domestic drama, centring around a pearl necklace or a woman's ambition. It is not without reason that the French have taught us to "look for the women." The motives that sent Madame Caillaux to the Figaro office are at present obscure. We do not know whether it was fear for herself or sympathy for her husband that moved her; but, whatever the cause, the crime can hardly be attributed to a momentary gust of anger. Her message to the Italian ambassador that she would not be at dinner that night, the visit to the gunshop to purchase the revolver, the return home to load it at leisure, the patient waiting at the Figaro office until M. Calmette appeared, and the coolness with which the tragedy was enacted, suggest the deliberation of herself and of her actions.

But personal motives can hardly affect the consequences. For it is not the fate of individuals that is at stake; it is the fate of France, and, perhaps, the fate of Europe. The Dreyfus case shattered the reaction and established the republic. Madame Caillaux's pistol shot may conceivably leave the republic in the dust. "You have ruined my life," M. Calmette is reputed to have said to his wife after the tragedy. It does not, the circumstances, sound a very chivalrous remark, but it is probably true, and if it is true it means much more than the political extinction of M. Caillaux. For whatever may be the view of his character, there can be no doubt that the fate of France hangs on his policy. To destroy him has become a fixed purpose of the French reactionaries as the destruction of Mr. Lloyd George is of the English reactionaries. For if he and his income tax can be overthrown, then the republic may be overthrown.

M. Caillaux's Policy. It would be a mistake to regard M. Caillaux as a social reformer. He is not that. Perhaps he is not a very high-minded politician, though his steadfast opposition to the three years' service places him in a different category from men of the Briand type. But he is primarily a financial reformer in a country whose finances are nearly as corrupt and quite as unsound as those of a bucket-shop. For years he has been fighting his battle for the reform of the national finances and for the adoption of the principle of the income tax. Against that menace all the rapacity of the capitalists, the financiers, and the investors have been actively mobilized. There was a passionate outcry against "liquidation" and threats about the "fate of the capital of the country." These tactics have had the same effect in France as in England. The small investor has been alarmed, and he has begun to put his savings into foreign stocks. In England, Canada, Belgium and elsewhere. But meanwhile the financial position goes from bad to worse, and it is no longer possible to conceal it by the customary tricks of balancing the expenditure by drawing on the future and charging to other years the expenditure that ought

to be included in the current year. The new conscription law with all the gigantic cost involved has exposed the ugly truth in all its nakedness and France has to borrow fifty millions in time of peace to meet its expenditure. But still the rich will not pay. They are willing to send the youth of the country to the barracks for three years, but they will not contribute to the cost. That has to come out of the pockets of the poor. The blood-tax is not enough. They must pay for their own sacrifice. They must bear the double burden of blood and of money.

The Attack. The return of M. Caillaux to the ministry of Finance in the midst of this financial chaos made a crisis imminent. In the face of the facts his policy could no longer be resisted by the senate. The only hope of the reactionaries was to destroy him in character. Now the character of French politicians is not a subject one can grow eloquent about. The French are a great and brilliant people, and they have a splendid patriotism. But they have little of the sense of citizenship and the standard of public morality among their politicians is notoriously low. In this matter the Radicals have shown themselves no better than the reactionaries, and it is because of their disloyalty to their professions that the high hopes which the Dreyfus affair aroused have been disappointed and that France is now threatened with a reaction that may involve the republic. Among all the prominent politicians of France to-day the imagination by its union of high ideals, spotless character and conspicuous genius. It is M. Jaures, the Socialist leader.

It was in the pages of the Figaro, the organ of the Royalists, that the campaign against M. Caillaux's character was chiefly waged. Day after day M. Calmette, the editor, launched charges against him of the most grotesque character and printed private letters to a lady which must have been known to be stolen. M. Calmette was a man of amiable personality in private life, small, soft spoken, extremely Parisian, upon whom fortune had showered its gifts with both hands. Rising to the editorship of the Figaro from modest beginnings, he had acquired enormous wealth through his marriage to the daughter of the owner of the Vichy springs, and through his friendship with the late M. Chauchard, who left him a large part of his vast fortune and a great interest in the Magasin du Louvre. But though an amiable little man in private he had that sort of venom in public controversy of which we are now learning something in this country from Mr. Massey. He was notorious for his vendettas, but he surpassed himself in his attacks on M. Caillaux after his return to office three months ago. His allegations of corruption were so wild as to be laughable. He told for example how M. Caillaux had promised to restore the great Prieu estate, which was in the hands of the French government, to the heirs who claimed it on the understanding that 80 per cent. of the value was paid into the party funds. This and similar stupid stories felt to pieces in derision, but they were followed punctually by others, including, of course, the story of M. Caillaux's at-

tempt to make terms with Germany at the time of the Morocco affair. "A demand" was the favorite ending of the articles. "To-morrow" there would be something still more startling. He was moving to some grand climax. What was it? What did Madame Caillaux think it was when she set out with her loaded Browning for the Figaro.

The Rochette Affair.

M. Calmette's prize was in his pocket when he left his office before he had even begun to publish it. All the world to-day knows what it was, and the Fabre document is likely to be as historic as the Dreyfus "bordereau." What is the suggestion of that document? Put quite bluntly, it is that M. Caillaux was mixed up with the Rochette scandal, and that it was his influence in March, 1911, that delayed the proceedings, and ultimately enabled the adventurer to escape to Mexico, where he is now understood to be living. In as much comfort, no doubt, as that country can afford in these days. Rochette was a young man in a hurry to get rich with other people's money, and he built up such a fabric of companies—financing one with the money of another, and so on—that the government in 1908 decided to deal with him. It is a shady story in all respects, and it is pretty clear that the attack was the result of a plot in which rival financiers, jealous of Rochette, were more than suspected of being involved. Rochette was convicted—no doubt quite justly—appealed, lost and again appealed. It was on this second appeal—in 1911—that the delay was secured.

The Purloined Document.

Now the Fabre document states quite emphatically that it was M. Caillaux, acting through the then prime minister, M. Monis, who caused M. Fabre, the procurer, against his indignant protests, to consent to postpone the proceedings. As to the truth of this we must await more evidence. It is enough to say for the present that M. Monis, the Fabre allegations, and that the president of the court, M. Billaud de Lisle, has declared that no pressure was put upon him. But, putting aside that question, we are confronted with an extraordinary history of the document. M. Barthou, who produced it related its history under pressure. Its date is March 31, 1911, but it is first heard of when M. Briand returned to office in the Poincaré cabinet at the beginning of 1912. M. Briand did not publish it; but, on going out of office passed it on to M. Barthou. When the latter's ministry fell, M. Barthou took the document away with him. Then its existence began to be whispered abroad, and M. Calmette became the instrument for firing it off at the critical moment. M. Barthou denied in the chamber that he gave its contents to M. Calmette. If so, who did? With what object did M. Barthou take it away? Why was it never referred to by M. Briand when he was examined before the Rochette commission? What was its history between March 31, 1911, during all the months in which M. Caillaux was in power, until M. Briand succeeded to office and became possessed of it?

Why Was It Taken? These are all profoundly important questions. They are not questions which can be dismissed as evasions of the main issue. It may be, of course, that the document is genuine and a fair statement of the facts. It may turn out that M. Caillaux had relations with Rochette and that he was concerned to help him to escape. But what is clear at the moment is that the document has had a very suspicious history, and that the conduct of

M. Briand and M. Barthou, successive prime ministers, in regard to it will require a good deal of explanation. Both concealed the fact of its existence from the commission, but M. Briand took care to pass it on to M. Barthou, and the latter thought so highly of it that he purloined it. He obviously had only one object in taking it, and that was to use it as a weapon against M. Caillaux when the convenient moment came. He had apparently not intended to publish it himself, but the murder of Calmette, who had secured a copy of the document from the wind and to come out into the open with his ill-gotten goods.

In doing this he is acting against the advice of M. Briand, the astute of all these slim gentlemen. He had a meeting with M. Briand before his disclosure to the chamber, and M. Briand, it is understood, was against the disclosure of the Fabre document. When M. Briand decided that he would produce it M. Briand, with characteristic astuteness, took care to stay away. He saw that whatever harm the document might do to M. Caillaux it would certainly not fail to do harm to those who were in possession of what did not belong to them, and who obviously had no right to use it for a violent purpose, and he was determined not to be mixed up in the transaction.

Perils of the Situation. It is a squallid situation, in which it is much more easy to find the villain than it is to find the hero. For the moment the enemies of the republic seem to have a better prospect than they have had at any time since the Dreyfus case overwhelmed the Clericals and Royalists and left-baiters in complete ruin and confusion. Almost on the eve of the general election the most powerful of their foes has been driven out of office, perhaps in irreparable disgrace; the income tax scheme has received another check; M. Briand, once the formidable Radical, now hardly recognizable, has been driven out of office, and the country, shocked by the recent happenings, and angry with the failure of the Radicals to effect any social or financial reforms, is in the mood to be stamped by anyone with an effective cry, still more anyone who would give it an assurance of clean and honest government. It is a moment when another Boulanger might be dangerous, but fortunately there does not seem to be any adventurer even of that late-and-plaster type visible. Probably M. Briand and he the beneficiary. The coming election would have been a contest between that adroit gentleman with his new party and M. Caillaux. The pistol shot at the Figaro has cleared M. Briand's path. But in clearing M. Briand's path it has not cleared the future for France.

## WHAT TO DO FOR SORE THROAT

SOME GOOD ADVICE BY A SPECIALIST.

As there seems to be a regular epidemic of Sore Throats this winter, the following valuable recipe will be welcomed by many. A sore throat is a dangerous complaint to trifle with, as the bronchial tubes lead directly to the lungs and the disease often travels along these tubes into the lungs and there sets up an inflammation that invariably results in a serious lung trouble.

At the first sign of soreness in the throat or around the tonsils, you should secure from your chemist 1 oz. of Parment (Double Strength) and take this home and add to it 1/4 pint of hot water and 4 oz. of moist sugar. Stir until dissolved. Take one tablespoonful four times a day. This will give instant relief and will usually cure the worst throat within 48 hours. The healing and soothing qualities of this formula are unequalled, and every person suffering with a bad throat should give this prescription a trial. There is nothing better.

Important.—In ordering Parment always get that you want "Double Strength." Your druggist has it or he can get it for you; if not, send 75c. to the International Laboratories, 74 St. Antoine St., Montreal, who make a specialty of it.

Phonix Bock Beer, "The Spring Tonic."

White unobscured anonymous communications will be published, the name and address of every writer of such letters must be given to the editor.

## THE WAGE QUESTION.

To the Editor:—The city council have seen fit to order a reduction in the wages of certain civic employees. They have discovered that there is an over-crowded labor market, and are taking advantage of it by making a cut in the wages of city workers. The men who with smiling countenances at last election promised the workmen that they would do almost anything if only they would give them their votes, have come out in their true colors. Of course they hide behind a subterfuge by saying that this is only for certain classes of city workers. They assert that able-bodied men will still receive the \$3 per day. The question is, however, what is an able-bodied man? I have seen some apparently less able-bodied men walk around able-bodied men when at work. The mere fact that one lacks physical dimensions does not necessarily limit a man's ability as a worker. The fact is that the most able-bodied man that ever walked around on two feet couldn't do enough work for some foreman on city work. There seems to be the impression in Ald. McNeill's mind that the men have been having an easy time on the city, but I can assure him that they have not. Peddling real estate as he has been accustomed to do may be somewhat of a snap, but not so with city work. He seems to think that some city workmen don't earn \$3 per day. I can assure him that the most deficient worker on the city is as capable of doing so as he is. The fact is he wants to set a precedent for wages in this city. He wants the city to pay a low wage so that his contractor friends in town will have an excuse for doing the same. He has no scruples against using the city funds for the purpose of paying \$4,000 per year for a business agent for the Vancouver Island Development league, but when it comes to paying the men who keep Victoria's streets clean, he thinks they are only worth \$2 per day. He wants \$10,000 for the appointment of an industrial commissioner, to work for the advantage of the above mentioned league, but \$2 a day is good enough for city workmen. He is chairman of the finance committee, he claims that he wants to see economy. He has no objection to extravagance in bonusing the British Columbia Agricultural association, and the Vancouver Island Development league, but the payment of wages in his opinion calls for economy. He furthermore tries to clear himself of the responsibility by placing the onus on the city engineer. Hitherto the council determined the wages to be paid, now he wants the city engineer to do it. Anything like that, he is capable of doing, if by so doing he can present himself blameless before the electors next January. To see him at the polling booth next January one would have thought that the Nazarene had suddenly come down from the

## INDUSTRIAL GROWTH GOOD FOUNDATION

Expansion of Well-Chosen Manufacturing Enterprises Would Form Good Solid Basis for Permanent Development of Island

## ADVANTAGES OF MANY KINDS PRESENT HERE

Geographical Location, Climatic Conditions and Wealth of Raw Materials Form Attractive Inducements to Manufacturers

Industrial development is bound to be a great benefit to Vancouver Island as a whole. Properly encouraged it will form a solid foundation for continuous and marked prosperity such as can be come at by few other means, and such as will serve to join hands, as it were, with that measure of prosperity guaranteed by the natural blessing of a splendid climate.

There have been indications lately that more than passing interest is now being taken in the question of industrial expansion. It is to be hoped that this interest, once manifested, will not be permitted to wilt. Steps should be taken at once to crystallize interest into action. Facts and figures, such as any hard-headed manufacturer would require before he formed any opinion, must be got together, worked out, proved up and made ready for forceful presentation in a manner at once logical, sympathetic and conservative. Proper presentation of this and similar data to eastern Canadian, British and certain American manufacturers, supported by sufficient local interest, would, without doubt, serve to arouse the interest of many desirable makers of things; and from among those interested it should not be hard to attract a goodly number to Victoria or some other part of Vancouver Island.

Because of its geographical location, because of its splendid climate and because of the proximity of raw materials necessary for many lines of manufacture, Victoria and Vancouver Island as a whole offer very special advantages to the captains of industry. Markets that exist are promising, but those that are being developed now offer opportunities that cause the others to pale into insignificance by comparison. There is a market to be developed in China, alone which, say those who have inquired and learned, is so tremendous as to be almost awesome. British Columbia—and particularly Victoria and Vancouver Island—surely possess natural advantages entitling it to look upon such markets as peculiarly its own.

But, in the movement to bring in new industries, care should be taken

to give a due share of attention and support to those industries which are already in existence in Victoria and on Vancouver Island. Attention has been directed lately by local newspapers to the work that is being done at Sidney by the Sidney Rubber Roofing Company, Limited. This concern was organized recently by a group of Victoria business men and manufacturers for the purpose of taking advantage of an excellent opening, and it demonstrates clearly what can be accomplished on Vancouver Island by industries which must seek their raw material outside of this province. The Sidney Rubber Roofing Company has erected a large plant of the most modern type for the manufacture of roofing material, asphalt for paving work, oil for road work, fuel oil, low-grade lubricants, etc. The plant, which is in charge of an expert of many years' experience, is practically complete and the first unit, which has to do with the manufacture of everything but the roofing material, has been working for some time and has fully demonstrated its complete success.

The base from which all of the products of the Sidney concern are made is crude oil, and this the company has to import. The intricate machinery for the manufacture of the roofing material—which will be the chief purpose of the plant—is already in position, and the company is now planning the erection of a huge storage tank large enough to take the complete cargo of a 60,000-barrel tank steamer. Buying their raw material in this way will, it is said, cut down their overhead cost still more. The Victoria men behind the venture express themselves as more than satisfied with what has been accomplished and with the prospects of the plant as it exists, and that Victorian capitalists will be given every opportunity to become interested.

## Sees Menace In White Bread

The eminent scientist—Prof. Le Tulle, of Paris, recently made a remarkable statement regarding food conditions in France. It is even more applicable to this country—he said:

"France has changed an essential of her nourishment. White bread is made more and more starchy, and is less and less nourishing. The rich products which are extracted go to feed the pigs. The baker now utilizes only fifty per cent of the wheat elements, whereas fifty years ago he utilized eighty-five per cent."

The "rich products" referred to, which are "extracted" from wheat, are the mineral elements—phosphate of potash, iron, sodium, etc. These elements are absolutely essential to proper nutrition of body, nerves and brain, yet they are nearly all thrown out by millers just to make the flour look white and pretty!

The lack of these invaluable phosphates is one of the chief causes of nervous prostration, dullness, languor, constipation and other ills—big and little.

In the making of

## Grape-Nuts

FOOD

all the "rich products" of wheat and barley, from which the food is made, are retained.

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## NOTICE

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF VICTORIA  
HOLDEN AT VICTORIA.

WESTERN PLATE GLASS AND IMPORTING COMPANY, LIMITED,  
Plaintiff,  
and  
ARTHUR PINNER AND A. M. McLELLAN,  
Defendants.

TAKE NOTICE that the above named plaintiffs have commenced an action against you in the County Court of Victoria aforesaid, by summons issued out of that Court dated the sixth day of March, A. D. 1914, for payment by you of the sum of \$100.00, being for work done and materials supplied by the above named WESTERN PLATE GLASS AND IMPORTING COMPANY, LIMITED, for you, in connection with the erection of the Victoria Opera House at the corner of Broughton and Blanchard Streets, in the city of Victoria aforesaid, as set forth in the said summons.

AND YOU ARE HEREBY REQUIRED within eight days after the last publication of this Notice to defend the said action by filing a Dispute Note therein in the said Court, and in default of your so doing, the above named plaintiffs may proceed therein and judgment may be given in their absence.

DATED at Victoria, B. C., this 18th day of April, A. D. 1914.

HARVEY COMBE,  
Registrar.  
To the Defendants,  
Arthur Pinner and A. M. McLELLAN.

## NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that we intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria, at its next session, for a transfer of the license to sell intoxicating liquors on the premises situated at 1080 St. James Street, City of Victoria, known as the Royal Arms Hotel, from Walter Poole to James Duden, of the city aforesaid.

Dated this 21st day of March, 1914, at Victoria, B. C.

WALTER POOLE,  
JAMES DUDEN,  
Applicants.

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of the Late Mrs. Jane Barnes.

All persons having claims against the Estate of the above deceased, who died at Victoria on or about the 7th day of March, 1914, are hereby required to send particulars thereof in writing, duly verified, to the undersigned on or before the 8th day of May, 1914, after which date the Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 7th day of April, 1914.

R. E. WOOTTON,  
Of Bank of Montreal, Chambers, Bastion Street, Victoria, B. C., Solicitor for the Executor.

## NOTICE

In the Matter of the Estate of Bertha Bornstein, Late of the City of Victoria, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons indebted to the above estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness forthwith to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against the said estate are requested to send particulars of their claims, duly verified, to the undersigned on or before the last day of May, 1914.

Dated this 21st day of March, 1914.

YATES & JAY,  
Solicitors for the Executors,  
416-7 Central Building, Victoria, B. C.

## NOTICE

In the Matter of the Estate of James Watson Devlin, Deceased, Late of the City of Victoria, B. C.

TAKE NOTICE that administration of the estate of the said James Watson Devlin has been granted to Laura Ashton Phillips by the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

All persons having claims against the above Estate are required to send particulars thereof, duly verified, to the undersigned on or before the 10th day of May, A. D. 1914, after which date the Administrator will proceed to distribute the said Estate according to law, with regard only to such claims of which she shall then have had notice.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 8th day of April, A. D. 1914.

MARTIN & LUMSDEN,  
Of 305 Pemberton Building, Victoria, B. C.,  
Solicitors for the Administrator.

## CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF OAK BAY

Notice is hereby given that the Sewer and Water Frontage Assessment Roll for 1914 has been filed in the Treasurer's office. Any person dissatisfied with said assessment may petition the Council not later than May 1st.

F. W. CLAYTON,  
Treasurer,  
Municipal Hall, Oak Bay, B. C., April 1st, 1914.

## FIRE PREVENTION.

Attention is hereby called to the following provision of the Fire Prevention By-Law, namely:

"Sec. 3. Every owner or occupier of a building shall at all times keep the roof of such building free and clear from moss or vegetable growth, and particularly shall in the month of May in each year clear the roof from such growth."

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,  
City Clerk.

City Clerk's Office,  
Victoria, B. C., April 17, 1914.

## CORPORATION OF VICTORIA.

## TENDERS FOR STEEL PIPE.

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 10 o'clock, Monday, May 4, 1914, for the supply of 10,000 feet of 4-inch steel pipe for waterworks purposes, the City Corporation reserving the right to increase the quantity given if necessary. Tenders are invited to submit their own specifications. Tenders must be marked outside, "Tenders for Steel Pipe," and must be addressed to the City Purchasing Agent. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. GALT,  
City Purchasing Agent,  
Victoria, B. C., April 1, 1914.

## CORPORATION OF TOWNSHIP OF ESQUIMALT.

## Clerk and Treasurer

Applications for the position as Clerk and Treasurer of Corporation will be received by the Council up to noon on Monday, 27, April 1914. Applicants must apply in own hand writing, state age, qualifications and salary expected and be prepared to assume duties on May 1, 1914. Applications to be addressed to the undersigned, Box D, Beaumont P. O., Esquimalt, B. C.

J. S. FLOYD,  
Auditor.

## SPORTING NEWS

(CONTINUED)

## TURNBULL ALSO AFTER MANN CUP

## VICTORIA CLUB'S FINE CHANCE

World's Amateur Lacrosse Title Likely to Change Hands This Summer; Eastern Outlook Unsettled

"Victoria has the finest chance of a lifetime to lift the Mann cup and amateur lacrosse championship of the world this summer, and if the players will only give the club their co-operation, I feel sure that the capital will be able to boast of a championship twelve this fall," was the statement of an official of the Victoria Amateur Lacrosse club this morning. The initial practice of the Victoria team will be held this evening at the Royal Athletic park, and a big turnout is looked for. A manager will be chosen at to-night's game, and the officials will endeavor to have Boss Johnson, the well known goal-tend of the Vancouver club, take over the Victoria twelve. Johnson has not yet decided to go east this summer, owing to the unsettled state of affairs in the Big Four, and he will undoubtedly accept, if he can arrange matters, to spare the time necessary to whip a championship twelve into shape.

Reports from Westminster indicate that the amateurs of that city are going to have great support this summer in their quest of the Mann cup. Dad Turnbull, the veteran Royal City lacrosse star, has had his team working out for the past week, and he will not stand for any skipping of practices. His actions last summer in suspending several of the players who played in the Kootenay league are well known, and he is even stricter this year. Turnbull has his eye on the Mann cup, and

the figures on beating the Victoria club often enough to haul down this silver ware. The Vancouver Athletic club champions have been seriously weakened by the desertion of a number of their stars to the professional twelve, and they will be hard pressed to hold the cup on the coast this summer, let alone capture the championship of the P. C. A. L. A. for a third time.

Perhaps the chief worry of the Victoria club this season will be that of a goal-tend who is capable of filling the shoes of Boss Johnson. The latter was easily the peer of the coast net guardians, and either Eric McInnis or Frank Sweeney will try out the position. Jerry Clout will again be seen in action on the attack, together with Stan O'Neil, Johnny Johnson and McCarter. There will be a number of new faces to the team. A full turnout is looked for at to-night's workout.

Montreal, April 22.—The latest announcement is that harmony has again been restored in the ranks of the Big Four, and that George Kennedy, during his visit to Toronto, having heard what was brewing here from the dispatches, gave the Toronto people a talk with the result that Tecumseh will no longer make lacrosse a secondary matter as they threatened to do.

The idea now is still to try and bring in an Ottawa team with Quebec and make the Big Four a six-club league. If this does not work, Kennedy's team, the Irish-Canadians, may be transferred to Quebec, franchise and all.

If there is a six-club league, it is more than likely that the teams will be only of ten men each, the same as is proposed in Ontario. The remainder of the men will be divided among the other two clubs.

## THREE TROPHIES FOR THE AMATEURS

City League Elected Officers Last Night; Local Diamond Notes

Amateur baseball promises to enjoy a big year in the capital, if the enthusiasm prevalent at last night's meeting of the Victoria City league can be taken as an indication of the interest that is being taken in the game this year. Three series will be organized, and already a trio of senior clubs have asked for dates. The Capitals, James Bays and Printers will take part in the senior series, while the Capitals, White Sox, Red Sox and North Wards will be represented in the intermediate series. A junior section will also be formed, and the schedules will be drawn up at the next meeting of the league. It is planned to start the seniors off on May 13.

Col. W. H. Coy was chosen honorary president of the league, with H. P. Willis as president. P. J. Fox is vice-president, with P. W. Spence as secretary-treasurer. Spauldings have donated three handsome trophies for the different sections of the league, and the league officers will immediately busy themselves in an endeavor to secure further entries to the different sections so as to make the league a controlling body in local baseball.

At Tuesday's game the Tacoma club drew down over \$400 as its share of the gate receipts. The paid admissions were a little below last year's bumper record.

Skinner Poulin has issued the call for his lot for and he will have his team in action Sunday against a picked team. The battle will be staged at the North Ward diamond.

Amateur baseball will prove a success here providing the teams live strictly up to the constitution and help out the volunteer umpires as much as possible.

Jack Robertson, well known football star, will catch this season for the White Sox.

Joe Bertucci's "Bears" are thinking of entering the junior league.

Tiny Balcom will twirl for the White Sox in the intermediate league.

Earl Mole plays a nice game at second for St. Francis.

Cal Campbell has a good player in Ed. Steele for first base.

Theo. Townsley will play with the Capitals this season.

The Red Sox have an exceptionally strong nine.

Those Printers are showing lots of class in their practice games.

Nig Taylor, last year with North Ward, will be seen on the White Sox's lineup.

The Capitals have entered teams in the senior and intermediate leagues.

## CHESS TOURNEY.

St. Petersburg, April 22.—In the first round of an international chess tournament played here, Bernstein, Alekhine, Lasker and Capablanca, respectively, defeated Janowski, Gunsberg, Blackburn and Nimzowitsch. Marshall and Rubenstein drew.

## LOCAL BANTAM WAS IN LINE FOR BELT

Al. Davies Given Raw Deal at Vancouver; Youthful Boxers Under Suspension

According to Jimmie Hewitt, sporting editor of the Vancouver Province, Al. Davies should have been awarded the diamond belt at the recent V. A. C. tourney for the best senior boxer to compete for the B. C. championships. Davies won his class handily, beating the Pacific coast champion, Len Hoiday. The judges, J. A. Fullerton, Matt Barr and Fred Lynch, are roundly scored for several of their awards, the belt winners being Stanley Clements, A. Swales and E. Cranston. They hold the trophies for a year.

Four of the Vancouver Island A. A. youngsters, Bar, White, Apps and Kruse, are under suspension, by the A. A. U. for having taken part in the defeat V. A. C. tourneys last summer. Their cases were considered at last night's meeting of the A. A. U., and the latter will pass judgment upon the four at a later date. The boys will undoubtedly secure clean cards, but their suspensions rob Billie Davies of a quartette of his preliminary youngsters for his next smacker.

Gold medals will be given to the winners of the P. N. A. championships which will be held at Vancouver on May 5 and 6. The classes are as follows:

Bantamweight—108 pounds and under.  
Featherweight—115 pounds and under.  
Lightweight—125 pounds and under.  
Welterweight—145 pounds and under.  
Middleweight—168 pounds and under.  
Heavyweight—Over 168 pounds.

Joe Bayley has been forced to give up a chance for a return match with Willie Hoppe because of an injured hand. Bayley is having the member treated, and should be able to return to the game next week. Hoppe meets Geo. Mason next Friday night over the four-round route.

The receipts of the Ritchie-Murphy bout were given out from Promoter Coffroth's office as around \$50,000. The exact amount was not ascertained, but it was stated that it would amount close to that figure. Champion Willie

ward VII. in decreeing its completion, have been set at naught. His decree especially stipulated that it should include only "persons who should for the future be officially recognized as entitled to the dignity."

The preamble of the Roll of Barons in the Gazette of the 20th of February last, indeed, places a premium upon impudent usurpation of baronetcies, since it admits the doctrine that the use of the dignity without warrant for several generations constitutes from henceforth a good title to the honor. Until now it has always been understood that baronetcies, like peerages, could only be bestowed by the sovereign, as "the fountain of all honors." From henceforth, however, according to Secretary of State McKenna in the Official Gazette, the grant of a patent by the monarch will be superfluous. All that is necessary is a wholly unauthorized assumption for two or three successive generations.

Nova Scotia Barons.

I have mentioned above that many of the bogus baronets refer to America in support of their pretensions. A word of explanation is necessary for this. Charles I., who, owing to his warfare with parliament, was in constant pecuniary straits, found in the sale of baronetcies a considerable revenue. He endeavored to conceal the purely financial nature of the transaction by declaring that the

money thus obtained would be devoted to the colonization of Nova Scotia, and authorized the purchasers of these so-called Nova Scotia baronetcies to adopt the armorial bearings of Nova Scotia.

In order to still further strengthen the impression that the funds secured by means of these baronetcies were to be expended in American colonization, instead of furnishing him with means to fight parliament, he conferred upon Sir William Alexander, subsequently created Earl of Stirling, the right of selling baronetcies on this side of the Atlantic, in connection with that peer's scheme for the colonization of Nova Scotia. Lord Stirling is known to have had at least 300 patents signed by King Charles in blank, given to him for the purpose. According to some authorities, the number of these patents was still larger.

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Canada Still Holds the Palm for Distance Runners.

Half a century ago Canucks were winning fame on foreign fields for their speed and endurance over the Marathon route and now comes the splendid achievement of the Canadians who entered the Boston Marathon, three out of the first four to finish being Canucks. Corkery, the winner, is probably the most consistent distance runner in the world to-day over fifteen miles. He can run to form every time he starts and he has captured numerous feature events, despite the fact that he is not a man to train very hard. Corkery made a good showing at the last Olympic Marathon and together with Fabre, of Montreal, will represent Canada at the 1916 games. Bell, of Montreal, who finished fourth, is another young Canadian athlete who looks a probable starter in the Olympic race at Berlin. With George Goulding back at the walking game, Canada's chances look a great deal brighter than a year ago.

Ritchie was working on a flat guarantee of \$15,000, and the privilege of accepting 50 per cent. of the gross receipts. If they ran over the \$50,000 mark Ritchie would draw down more than \$15,000.

Coffroth and Murphy were working on a 50-50 basis of dividing the remaining 50 per cent. Accordingly each will receive \$7,500. It is figured that the attendance was around 10,000.

## BLUE-NOSE BARONETS MANY, BUT UNHONORED

Their Papers, Signed in Blank, to Be Filled Out When They Paid Up

British peers as a class are not addicted to inebriety, as one might be tempted to imagine from the familiar phrase, "drunk as a lord." Nor are all baronets reprobates, although the English playright, who usually selects a wicked baronet for the villain of his drama, has done much to convey this widespread impression. The "wicked baronet" is bad enough, in all conscience. To make matters worse, there are a number of bogus baronets, many of whom refer to this side of the Atlantic in support of their pretensions. Had to Prove Titles.

With the object of putting an end to a house of cards, King Edward, only a few weeks before his death, issued a warrant, bearing the royal sign-manual, not at the bottom, but at the top, of the document, directing that an official Roll of Baronets should be prepared, and kept at the office of the secretary of state for the home department, that it should be drawn up in consultation with one or other of the kings of arms, Garter, Lyon, or Ulster, according to their respective heraldic jurisdictions, the roll to be submitted to the sovereign once each year, and published annually in the Official Gazette of London, Edinburgh, and Dublin; that the name of no baronet should figure on the roll who had not been able to prove his right to the title, and that in case of any question or conflict, the matter should be referred, first of all, to the attorney-general for the kingdom concerned, and thereupon to the Judicial Committee of the privy council, to advise the sovereign with regard to any decision to which he may come in the matter.

The Rule Set at Naught. King Edward hoped by this means to put out of existence the bogus baronetcies, that is to say, to crush the pretensions of those making use of this particular dignity without any warrant or right, and who, according to Burke, DeBrett, and other standard "Peersages," number nearly a hundred.

Edward VII.'s excellent intentions have, however, been frustrated by the present secretary of state for the home department, Reginald McKenna, who is proving as dismal a failure in his present office as he was when first lord of the Admiralty. In fact, Secretary McKenna has practically given official encouragement to the usurpation of baronetcies.

The first publication of the Roll of Baronets appeared in the supplement of the Official Gazette of London, Edinburgh, and Dublin, on February 20 last. But the preamble of the list may be said to deprive it of all value. For it states that the committee appointed by King Edward to examine the patents of baronets in conjunction with the king-at-arms was notified by the secretary of state for the home department that "a wide discretion should be allowed so that all who can fairly be said to have a good title should be enrolled, such good title consisting of unchallenged use of the title for several generations, although doubts may be entertained respecting the descent, or even the creation of the dignity."

A Useless Roll.

It is likewise stated that it was never contemplated that the committee should exact "strict proof of his rights to the title from every person claiming to be a baronet."

The secretary of state for the home department, by whose orders and at whose instance the publication of the Roll of Baronets is now made, endeavors to save himself by the concluding clause of the preamble, which is to the effect that "inclusion in the roll does not give, or purport to give, an indefeasible title to the persons enrolled," and that the roll "has not the authority of a legal decision."

It may be asked, then, what is the use of this Roll of Baronets, since the sole purpose and intention of Edward VII. in decreeing its completion,

## REMARKED ON THE SIDE

## Welsh Gets a Chance at Tommy Murphy.

Evidently the "Frisco promoters wish to give Freddie Welsh, the British empire champion, a real tryout before they consent to his booking a match with Tommy Murphy. They have hooked the pair up for a twenty-round contest in June and the winner in all probability will meet Ritchie on Labor Day. Welsh has been waiting for about seven years to get a crack at Ritchie, and it is likely that the veteran is to be given his chance next fall. Welsh's cleverness in his bout with Rivers showed that he has lost none of his skill, while the Briton possesses a harder punch than many people imagine. Welsh's chances of beating Ritchie are growing less with every postponement of this fight, for the English title holder will soon have to retire because of his long service in the ring. Ritchie's showing over Murphy was not entirely satisfactory to the American champion, though the Southern sport writers give him credit for beating the same Gothamite at every angle.

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## VICTORIA HUMOR.

An advertiser in the London Times claims to possess the only photograph extant of Queen Victoria smiling. Yet, according to one of her biographers, the queen "had a sense of humor, but the jests she delighted in were not of a very subtle order, and she has been known to pass them on with an extraordinary readiness." Her sincerity led her to a quaintness of wording which was often very entertaining. A piece of very modern music was once performed in the queen's presence, manifestly not to her approval. "What is that?" she asked. "It's a drinking song, ma'am, by Rubinstein." "Nonsense," said the queen, "no such thing! Why, you could not drink a cup of tea to that!"

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## MEDLEY OF REVIVALS IN SPRING FASHIONS

Basques and Short Skirts Demand Overskirt Draperies; the New Materials

New York, April 11.—Although the first wave of excitement caused by the spring openings has vanished, it has left behind a hundred little ripples of interest, each emanating from some question of the new styles. Of course, everyone was prepared for the fuller skirts; but the collars which almost cover the mouth, coats with no sleeves, and dresses of white damask are still subject of nine days' wonderment.

The appearance of pantalettes of sheer muslin or lace are not to be considered at all seriously in themselves; it is only what they foreshadow which gives them so much interest. First, they mean shorter skirts, as were shown by some of the French dress-makers, who made them so short that of necessity something had to be added, and the very narrow underskirt was split into the pantalette. Possibly the next thing will be that the pantalettes will be dropped, leaving the ankles well exposed.

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An evening frock of two-toned taffeta—pink and purple, giving a mauve effect—is the model for the second illustration. The simple bodice is developed in shadow lace with a chiffon over-waist. A pointed bib of the silk extends upwards on the waist from the waistline. The skirt of taffeta has a charmingly ruffled panier.

The accessories of dress are always important, and none more so that the chemisettes, collars and guimpes which are worn with all kinds of gowns this season. The shops show them in many



Taffeta and Plaid Suiting Combine to Make a Smart and Practical Costume for General Wear.

ment as they are understood, but are two fitted leglets that follow the line of the leg from the knee to the ankle. But the really interesting part of this question is that the idea was not suggested or brought about by a reversion of the clothes of grandparents, but by that most ultra of modernists, Leon Bakst. It is an evolution of the Persian influence which he introduced upon the stage and Poiret exploited so successfully a year ago.

Another old-fashioned idea which is forcing itself again to the front is the tight-fitting basque, with darts in the front and three seams in the back. It is also seen with the semi-fitted front and a very loosely-fitting back. One novel gown which had the back and sleeves in one, and the front, giving a basque effect, began at a yoke-line across the bust; it buttoned down the front, and was slightly lifted below the waistline with a sash, which tied in the back. The skirt which joined the basque was draped and pulled up into and old-fashioned "pull-back," giving the appearance of the polonaise of 1880.

After each war some new style has appeared which has resulted from the types of costumes in the various countries involved. From these sources have come the Russian blouse, Japanese and Balkan effects. It is not to be wondered at that Mexico should prove an inspiration for revolution even in dress. The wide trousers of the men and the brilliant national colors have already given birth to the idea of a striking costume of khaki-colored gabardine, with ball trimming down either side of the skirt. Beneath the white linen collar on the bodice, which is piped in red and yellow, lies a second collar of white crepe. The flaring cuffs and red and yellow striped sash give the chic finish to the costume.

The striking development of the frock used for the first illustration is both interesting and smart. The raglan sleeves are of the checked fabric, and the body of the waist is of taffeta, matching the deeper-colored check, and a pleated tunic of this material is cleverly cut over a skirt of check. The cleverly-cut belt of checked material, with buttons covered with taffeta, and a flaring organza collar complete this costume, whose good cut is enhanced



forgot, for it holds an important place in a season where combinations and contrasts are the order of the mode. Silk gabardine is being used a great deal. It looks just like its wool prototype, except that it is silk. Damask is another favorite material for summer dresses. Tempting new wash materials embrace many kinds of crepe, silk and cotton. It is interesting to note what beautiful copies of expensive wool, wool and silk, and satin crepes are successfully reproduced in cotton. Even the heavy white satin Chino is copied, and the result is a very excellent and durable cotton tussar crepe. It is seen in many colors, and is an excellent substitute for the smooth linen which is used so often for summer tub frocks.

Embroidery is being used on all the summer fabrics, not only on the material used for lingerie dresses, but upon taffeta and silk in self-toned and brilliant colorings. It is also much used for finishing sash ends and girdles in an attractive way. The girdles of the tailored suits are often of the same material as the suit and embroidered stiffly, embroidered and braided, or studded on a colored material in black, blue, red and yellow. The oblique pocket openings on skirts are also treated in this same way.

## SCRAF BOOK

Oklahoma "Eighty-Niners" Celebrate State's Birthday.

A quarter of a century is a brief space of time, but the Oklahoma "eighty-niners," in celebrating to-day the twenty-fifth anniversary of that inspiring, spectacular and in some ways terrible "run" which marked the opening of the country to settlement, can look back upon a period which reproduced, in self-moving panorama, the history of the human race and its long ascent from savagery to comparative civilization. There was downright primeval savagery in that first wild scramble of 50,000 people for homes, when the race was to the swift and the battle to the strong, and men made mad by the lust for land eyed each other with deadly ferocity when their interests clashed. A gunshot sent the raging, roaring torrent of humanity tumbling over the frontier—and it was not the last gunshot fired that day. There are "eighty-niners" who will take no part in the jubilation to-day, for the anniversary recalls to their repentant and tortured minds things that they would like to forget and dark deeds that refuse to be wiped from the slate of memory. And if there was savagery in the first wild rush, there was barbarism in the succeeding days, when men, women and children lived in tents, tepees, temporary shacks and prairie schooners. Then came the era of real pioneer work—the upturning of virgin fields, the long labor with plow and reaper, the building of cities, the rearing of permanent homes. Rival towns clamored loudly of their assured future greatness, and the era of frenzied speculation set in. Some of the most promising of those towns are now dead or dying, while others have waxed great and made fortunes for early investors. In those days, too, gambling and other vices flourished openly, and millions of dollars won by hard toil or in successful speculation went to enrich the gambling fraternity. To-day, on its quarter-century, Oklahoma is as civilized and moral and stable and law-abiding as any other part of the continent. Where twenty-five years ago to-day there was only vacant country, a big city has risen—a city of skyscrapers and factories and schools and churches and colleges and magnificent homes and tenements and slums. Smaller cities dot the state—cities made prosperous by wheat fields and rich coal mines and productive oil fields and multitudinous industries, and connected with each other by the network of steel that covers the state. And all of this has come to pass in a country where but a few decades ago the Indian and the buffalo reigned supreme. The buffalo has been banished to a reserve, and the Indians, while still numerous, have become civilized and no longer go on the warpath or earn for subsistence scalps, nor take their squaws and papooses out for an airing in a second-hand horse.

Other western states and Canadian provinces have duplicated the magic growth of Oklahoma, cities, and the rapid development of natural resources, but no other civilized community of the globe ever had so spectacular a beginning as that of Oklahoma on the twenty-second day of April, 1889. The federal government drew a cordon of troops around that part of the "Beautiful Land"—the meaning of the Indian word Oklahoma—that was to be opened to settlement, and at a signal, at noon, a army of men and women were permitted to rush across the line and take possession of whatever land they found unoccupied. Despite the vigilance of the authorities, a few men managed to get into the country ahead of the rush and settle on the most desirable land. Many of these "sooner" were exposed and punished, but others contrived to retain their ill-got property.

## WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, April 22.—5 a. m.—Although the barometer is low over the Pacific slope the weather is fine and mild, with light winds, along the coast. Light frosts continue in the prairie provinces.

For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Thursday. Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, fine and mild to-day and on Thursday.

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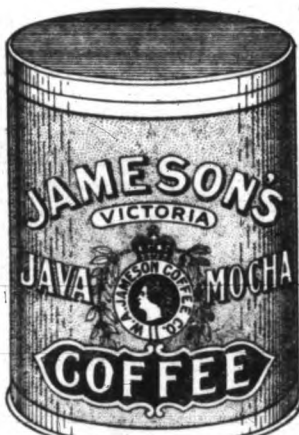
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work of no small difficulty to get a  
jury together, especially as the inhab-  
itants were notoriously disinclined to  
the pleasures of litigation. The court  
had been forced to adjourn many times  
from day to day, because the sheriff as-  
signed came in and reported an incom-  
plete panel. Finally things came to a  
crisis. The judge fixed a day beyond  
which no further forbearance could be  
exercised; and when the day arrived  
the enthusiastic sheriff hurried into the  
courtroom and exclaimed: "All  
right, your honor. We'll have a jury  
by 12 o'clock. I've got eleven of them  
locked up in a barn, and we're run-  
ning the twelfth with dogs."

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## FIREWORKS AND MUSIC

Committee in Connection with Vic-  
toria Day Celebration Get to Work  
on Arrangements.

The first committee meetings in  
connection with the Victoria Day  
celebration were held at the city hall  
last evening, and the enthusiasm man-  
ifested by the members gives promise  
of all expectations for the success of  
the event this year being fully real-  
ized.

In order to give publicity to the af-  
fair the printing committee is prepar-  
ing for the distribution of posters at  
outside points through the province  
and along the coast, advertising the  
celebration, and five thousand cir-  
culars will be furnished to city mer-  
chants and any other citizens who are  
willing to send them out in their mail.

The music and fireworks committee  
promises the most elaborate display of  
fireworks yet seen here. The display  
will take place at Beacon Hill park,  
where the natural slope of the hill to  
a level plain on the east makes it an  
ideal spot for such purpose. Last night  
the committee had under consideration  
programmes of pyrotechnic displays  
submitted by prominent firms. There  
will be a number of band concerts  
during the two days of the celebration,  
the regimental bands, pipers, Salvation  
army and other musical organizations  
being engaged.

## SENTENCED FOR STABBING

Austrian Given Two Months With  
Hard Labor for Wounding China-  
man; Said He Was Drunk.

Bosko Sonyia, the Austrian laborer  
who yesterday stabbed in the back,  
Chim Din, the Chinese cook at the  
Panama restaurant, was this morning  
sentenced by Magistrate Jay to two  
months with hard labor.

Through the interpreter Bosko stated  
that he was drunk at the time and  
remembers nothing of the occurrence.  
The whole assault, it appears, was  
over a matter of five cents. Bosko  
went into the restaurant and ordered  
a nice, fat hamburger steak. After he  
had eaten it, he proffered the Chinese  
waiter, Chum Jo, a ten-cent piece.

"No, no, fifteen cents," said Chum

Jo. Whereupon Bosko pulled an open  
pocket knife out of his pocket and  
tried to cut Chum Jo, who naturally  
objected. Chum Din came to his aid,  
rushing from the kitchen and seizing  
hold of Bosko. The Austrian, enraged,  
whirled Chim Jin around, and dug  
him under the right shoulder blade  
with his knife.

In the witness box this morning, Dr.  
Bosko said the wound was not serious,  
but if the knife had gone in to the  
hilt it might have been very dan-  
gerous. In answer to a question the  
doctor said he did not think death  
would have resulted.

The evidence of Sergeant Harper  
and Constable Stark was to the effect  
that they found the Austrian lying on  
the back with two Chinamen sitting  
on him. Chum Jo had the knife. They  
both averred Bosko was quite sober at  
the time.

Phoenix Book Beer, \$1.50 per dozen  
quarts.

A season old A. B. was a devoted ad-  
mirer of a young middy who served on  
the same warship. An accident oc-  
curred—a man overboard and a gallant  
rescue by a lieutenant—which resulted  
in the receipt by the latter of a hand-  
some letter of commendation from the  
admiralty. "That's a nice thing to have,  
a letter like that," said the old tar to  
his young friend. "You ought to have  
one." "Well, I'll have to wait my  
chance," said the middy. "See here,"  
said the old man. "I'll drop from the  
rigging and you jump in and rescue  
me." "But I can't swim," was the re-  
ply. "Never you mind," said the old  
salt. "I'll hold you up till the boat  
comes."—Daily Citizen.

Sawdust is being put to an increasing  
number of useful purposes. Used as an  
absorbent for nitro-glycerine, it produces  
dynamite. Used with clay and burned, it  
produces a terra-cotta brick full of small  
cavities that, owing to its lightness and  
its properties as a non-conductor, makes  
excellent fireproof material for walls or  
floors.

## TELEPHONE OFFICIALS AND COUNCIL CONFER

Until Easements for Laterals  
Into Blocks Are All Obtained  
Conduit System is Idle

It was made clear to the city council  
at the conference held yesterday with  
officials of the B. C. Telephone com-  
pany that the company has no imme-  
diate intention of making use of the  
conduits laid in the area outside of the  
district bounded by the waterfront,  
Humboldt, Blanshard and Fisgard  
streets.

In the district considered as the  
downtown section the agreement reach-  
ed three years ago stipulates that the  
company shall use the underground  
system, and its attitude in this matter  
is that it is ready to use either the  
existing overhead pole system or the  
conduits, but is awaiting the securing  
by the city of easements for lateral  
connections into blocks where the com-  
pany has not been able to negotiate  
for them. This duty is taken by the  
city in such cases. There are a num-  
ber of owners who have refused to give  
an easement because it would affect  
the title to the property by giving the  
telephone company a perpetual right  
of entry and easement. Until recent  
legislation gave the power, the city had  
not the legal right to do this.

The conference yesterday afternoon  
followed a private meeting of the coun-  
cil with the city solicitor, when the  
legal aspects of the matter were gone  
into, and was taken part in by Mayor  
Stewart and Aldermen McNeill, Porter,  
Bell, McCandless and Sargent on be-  
half of the city council, and William  
Farrell and George H. Halse, Vancou-  
ver, and Robert B. McKicking, Vic-  
toria, on behalf of the company.

The company has installed the con-  
duit in the business section, and laid  
the cables, and has bonds to the ex-  
tent of \$50,000 as an advance by the  
city on the cost of the work, but until  
it secures all the easements for its  
laterals it cannot proceed with the use  
of the underground system. In the  
other section where conduits have been  
laid ahead of permanent pavement the  
officials stated that if would not be  
necessary for some time to change from  
the overhead system.

There was no definite result from the  
conference beyond the promise of the  
council to take the matter up next  
week, and consider what action shall  
be taken. An additional trouble is that  
in the case of a number of outside  
streets where conduits were laid be-  
fore paving—the agreement being that  
the cost should be borne half by the  
company and half by the owners ben-  
efited—the work was done before any  
by-law was passed. On several of the  
owners refusing to pay the courts up-  
held their objection, and the present  
council has had to pay \$46,000 out of  
general revenue to cover the owners'  
share of the cost.

## How American Women May Keep Faces Young

"The American smart woman ages  
early, far earlier than the English wo-  
man," says Christian Miller, F. C. I., the  
famous English health expert. She adds  
that our climate "so exhilarates that you  
over-exert yourselves and grow old before  
you know it. That same exhilarating air  
dries the skin. The skin that lacks mois-  
ture grows pale and withered looking and  
soon forms wrinkles."  
"The American complexion" is best  
described by the word "mercurized wax,"  
which causes the faded, lifeless cuticle to  
flake off in minute particles, a little each  
day, until the fresh, young skin beneath is  
wholly in evidence. Every druggist has  
this wax; one ounce is sufficient. Spread  
on at night like cold cream, washing it  
off next morning.

For wrinkles, dissolve an ounce of pow-  
dered saffron in a half pint of hot water,  
bathe the face in this. Immediately every  
wrinkle is affected, even the deeper lines.  
Both treatments are remarkable facial re-  
juvenators.

## FORT HOWE PARK

Historical Site in City of St. John, N.  
B. is to Be Maintained by Do-  
minion Government.

In response to urgent requests from  
various clubs and societies in St. John,  
N. B., asking that old Fort Howe, in  
that city, be set aside and maintained  
as a historical park, the federal gov-  
ernment has passed the necessary or-  
der-in-council.

In his memorandum to the council  
the minister of the interior observes  
that it has been represented that Fort  
Howe is one of the most interesting  
and valuable historical sites in New  
Brunswick, associated with the his-  
tory of St. John since the earliest  
times; that it played an important  
part in defending British settlers, and  
British territory in the province from  
the incursions of the Americans during  
the revolution, and was the scene of  
the landing of the United Empire Loy-  
alists in 1783, "when three thousand of  
these loyal subjects came to Canada  
and founded the city of St. John;" and  
that it appears that "the preservation  
of the historic memorials of this coun-  
try will tend to increase the love and  
interests of the people in the institu-  
tions of the country, and that the cre-  
ation of national historic parks for the  
purpose will provide not only the ad-  
vantages of out-door recreation but  
also one of the best ways by which  
such memorials and historic sights  
may be preserved and made accessible  
for the use, enjoyment and education  
of the public."

The site of the park is placed under  
the superintendent of Dominion na-  
tional parks and will be known as  
Fort Howe National park.

He who proffers the honesty of to-  
day till to-morrow will probably pro-  
cure his to-morrow to eternity.  
Lavater.

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## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

All personal items sent by mail for  
publication must be signed with the name  
and address of the sender.

W. Milligan, of Otter Point, is at the  
Dominion hotel.

T. H. Goring, of Cloness, has arrived  
at the James Bay hotel.

Mrs. S. O. Bailey, 803 Cook street,  
will not receive to-morrow.

C. Ward, of London, Eng., is a recent  
arrival at the Empress hotel.

James B. Swan, of Vancouver, is a  
guest at the Dominion hotel.

H. M. Logg, of Vancouver, arrived at  
the Dominion hotel yesterday.

R. S. Lennie, the well-known Vancou-  
ver barrister, is in the city.

Frank E. Young, of Winnipeg, has  
arrived at the James Bay hotel.

James Finlay, of Shawinigan Lake, is  
registered at the Empress hotel.

M. Langtry, of Vancouver, is among  
the guests at the Empress to-day.

M. Sanderson, of Winnipeg, registered  
at the Dominion hotel yesterday.

J. L. Sindholm has returned to the  
city and is at the James Bay hotel.

Mrs. Harvey is staying at the Strath-  
cona hotel while here from Sidney.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Power, of Kamloops,  
are registered at the Empress hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Oppenheim, of Lon-  
don, are staying at the Empress hotel.

J. H. Branch, of Philadelphia, is  
among the guests at the Empress hotel.

J. D. MacDonald is in the city from  
Sooke, a guest at the Strathcona hotel.

R. Jesse and Mrs. Jesse are staying  
for a few days at the James Bay hotel.

John Dearborn, of Boston, has ar-  
rived at the Empress hotel for a short  
stay.

G. I. Willis and Mrs. Willis, of Van-  
couver, are staying at the Dominion  
hotel.

E. F. Gunn and Mrs. Gunn are  
guests from Seattle at the Dominion  
hotel.

Mrs. J. J. Shaw, of South Salt Spring  
Island, is registered at the James Bay  
hotel.

George Hentherbell, of Colwood,  
registered at the Dominion hotel yester-  
day.

Mrs. McArthur, 709 Cook street, will  
not receive to-morrow nor again this  
season.

Mrs. William McLaren, of Lady-  
smith, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Henry  
Lawson.

Mrs. E. F. Gray, of Hamilton, Ont., is  
visiting her sister, Mrs. Gray, of Sim-  
coe street.

F. B. Friesen, of St. Louis, is among  
the most recent arrivals at the Em-  
press hotel.

I. P. Strong, of Calgary, is regis-  
tered at the Empress hotel during his visit  
to the capital.

A. E. Meighen was among this morn-  
ing's arrivals at the Empress hotel  
from Kamloops.

D. Gordon and Mrs. Gordon are over  
from the mainland and are at the  
James Bay hotel.

A. W. Drake, of Ganges, is in the  
capital on business and is staying at  
the Dominion hotel.

Joseph Sweeney arrived in town yester-  
day from Seattle and registered at  
the Dominion hotel.

Mrs. W. C. Wilson, Stanley avenue,  
will not be at home until May, and not  
again until the fall.

Mrs. R. Bennett, 1516 Fernwood road,  
will not receive on Thursday, April 23,  
nor again this season.

S. B. Curtis came to the city yester-  
day from Vancouver, and registered at  
the Strathcona hotel.

E. J. Foster, of Vancouver, is regis-  
tered at the Strathcona hotel.

T. W. Boyer registered for himself  
and Mrs. Boyer from Kinross, Ont.,  
at the Dominion hotel yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Turquand, of  
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and crepes are included in a variety of colors. You will be more than pleased at the  
dainty styles that make up this wonderful collection. Trimmings include Medici and  
Peter Pan collars, fine embroidery, silk cuffs, fancy cameo buttons and other favorite  
novelties. Prices .....\$8.75 to \$20.00

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La Belle Parasol of Dresden cotton crepe, in a variety of colorings.....\$2.50  
La Belle Parasols of cerise silk with border of pretty taffeta .....\$7.00  
A Pretty Parasol of sky brocade silk with plain white silk border; La Belle Pattern.  
Price .....\$4.50  
Parasols of cotton taffetas with borders of satin, in a large variety of patterns, up  
from .....\$1.50  
Fine Selection of Children's Parasols at prices from .....25¢ to 75¢

### New Showing of Dorothy Dodd Shoes for Ladies

This superb lot of Shoes include Colonials, Low Shoes, Laced and Button Boots, in  
patent kid, gun-metal and vici kid. Some of these are made with the new cravenette  
top, which has rightly become very popular. From .....\$5.00 to \$7.50  
Shoes for the Children—You can choose from a full line of new Colonials in patent  
leather, tan Russian calf. These Shoes will stand lots of wear, and will give fullest  
satisfaction. Prices are .....\$1.50 to \$2.75  
Ask to See the New "Mary Jane" Shoe

### A Splendid Lot of New Coatings

We have lately opened up a fine new shipment of these fine Coatings, some being  
especially suitable for the making of Sports Coats. There is a good assortment of  
black and broken checks in many staple and novelty colorings—  
50 inches wide, per yard .....\$1.50 and \$1.75  
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New Suitings in all the latest weaves, including the new ripple, basket and other  
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Children's Summer Dresses made of ginghams, prints and flannelettes, in a va-  
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Kimono Cloths in white with fancy spots and many designs in green, grey, navy,  
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Taffeta Silk in myrtle, green, navy, brown, taupe, biscuit, champagne, white, Nile,  
sky, pink, mauve and saxe. Regular 75¢ per yard. Very special, per yard, 35¢  
Genuine Irish Linen Napkins in new briar and daffodil patterns. Regular \$2.50 per  
dozen. Special, per dozen .....\$1.60  
Japanese Kimono Crepes in a large assortment of designs, including some very  
pretty wisteria patterns; stencil and Japanese scenery designs. Special, per  
yard .....15¢ and 20¢  
Fine Quality Bedspreads in many honeycomb designs. Special \$1.00 and \$1.25  
Dressing Jackets are one of our biggest specials on our bargain floor. You can  
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the following Thursday.

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Clarke and Company Sergeant-Major  
Robert M. Lorimer, both of the Fifth  
regiment, C. G. A.

F. J. Fulton, K. C., former commis-  
sioner of lands, is in the city from  
Kamloops for a few days on legal busi-  
ness. The interior city and towns, he  
says, have felt the effect of the busi-  
ness depression, but things are looking  
up again and everyone anticipates  
greater prosperity this summer.

Mrs. W. Unsworth Rowlands will re-  
ceive for the last time this season on  
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## HUMAN PROCESSION

The Earl of Dunmore, who was a recent visitor to Canada and the United States, was born forty-three years ago to-day. The Earl is descended from one of the oldest and most honored of Scottish noble families, the title dating from 1686, and is the eighth of his line. His name is Alexander Edward Murray, and, besides the earldom his family holds the titles of Viscount Pinckney, Lord Murray and Baron Dunmore, the latter of the United Kingdom. One of the most distinguished of his ancestors was John Murray, fourth Earl of Dunmore, who was governor of New York and the last British governor of Virginia. He arrived in Virginia in 1772 to find the colony in a condition of rebellion against the crown, and in 1774 he dissolved the house of Burgoyne, the title dating from 1775 he removed the powder from the arsenal at Williamsburg to a ship of war. This action provoked Virginians to open revolt, and the governor was forced to seek refuge on board the British ship *Rowayton*, and the warship became his seat of government. In 1776, after burning Norfolk, he returned to England.

The present Earl succeeded his father, the seventh Earl, seven years ago. He is immensely wealthy, owning about 80,000 acres, and has large interests in Canadian lands and mines. For several years he was aide-de-camp to the viceroy of India, and saw active service with the Dongola expedition in 1895.

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## WANTED—PROPERTY.

HOUSE, about \$1000, good locality, modern. All particulars to Box 649, Times. m13

WANTED—Five roomed, modern cottage that small cash payment and balance like rent will handle. Give particulars in first letter to B. O. Box 691. m13

WANTED—A real snap, in a seven-roomed home in James Bay or Fairfield. Only \$1000. Write to Newcombe. Client will pay large payment and demands a full sized lot. If you need the money, write to B. H. Duce, 1115 Douglas St. Phone 3048 and 3508. m13

WANTED—Good building lot in Fairfield; must be snap, from owners only. A. D. Malet & Co., 42 Central Building. m13

WANTED—A good building lot, near car, Spanish preferred, to lease with purchasing option, house (old or new), on about one acre (cleared or partly). Rent must be low and option price snap. Full particulars to A. Van, General Delivery, Vancouver, B. C. m13

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NICELY FURNISHED ROOM for 1 or 2 gentlemen, 23 Michigan street. m13

BEDROOM and large front room for rent, furnished or unfurnished, 148 Fowl Bay road. Phone 10911.

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SINGLE AND DOUBLE furnished rooms, central city, \$2 and \$3. 83 Yates. m13

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DUNSMUR ROOMS, FORT ST.—First-class, strictly modern, noted for quietness, cleanliness, and homelike and comfortable. Prices most reasonable in the city.

## FOR SALE—ARTICLES.

FOR SALE—Malleable and steel ranges, \$1 down, \$1 per week. 2001 Government street. m13

NOW IS THE TIME to plant Lady early cabbage plants. We have 100,000 of them at 50c, per 100, \$5.00, or \$1.00 per 1,000. A. C. Knight & Son, Mt. Toulmie Nurseries, Victoria, B. C. m13

ROWBOATS, CANOES, LAUNCHES, bought and sold. Walter Stockton, 207 Hibernia-Bank Block. Telephone 4329.

FOR SALE—Shotgun, 12 gauge, 40, 12, 10, 8, 6, 4, 2, 1, 1/2, 1/4, 1/8, 1/16, 1/32, 1/64, 1/128, 1/256, 1/512, 1/1024, 1/2048, 1/4096, 1/8192, 1/16384, 1/32768, 1/65536, 1/131072, 1/262144, 1/524288, 1/1048576, 1/2097152, 1/4194304, 1/8388608, 1/16777216, 1/33554432, 1/67108864, 1/134217728, 1/268435456, 1/536870912, 1/1073741824, 1/2147483648, 1/4294967296, 1/8589934592, 1/17179869184, 1/34359738368, 1/68719476736, 1/137438953472, 1/274877906944, 1/549755813888, 1/1099511627776, 1/2199023255552, 1/4398046511104, 1/8796093022208, 1/17592186044416, 1/35184372088832, 1/70368744177664, 1/140737488355328, 1/281474976710656, 1/562949953421312, 1/1125899906842624, 1/2251799813685248, 1/4503599627370496, 1/9007199254740992, 1/18014398509481984, 1/36028797018963968, 1/72057594037927936, 1/144115188075855872, 1/288230376151711744, 1/576460752303423488, 1/1152921504606846976, 1/2305843009213693952, 1/4611686018427387904, 1/9223372036854775808, 1/18446744073709551616, 1/36893488147419103232, 1/73786976294838206464, 1/147573952589676412928, 1/295147905179352825856, 1/590295810358705651712, 1/1180591620717411303424, 1/2361183241434822606848, 1/4722366482869645213696, 1/9444732965739290427392, 1/18889465931478580854784, 1/37778931862957161709568, 1/75557863725914323419136, 1/151115727451828646838272, 1/302231454903657293676544, 1/604462909807314587353088, 1/1208925819614629174706176, 1/2417851639229258349412352, 1/4835703278458516698824704, 1/9671406556917033397649408, 1/19342813113834066795298816, 1/38685626227668133590597632, 1/77371252455336267181



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Large nine-roomed house, situated on a corner lot, with all modern conveniences. Water, electric light and sewer. The house is plastered throughout with hard plaster, large open fireplace in sittingroom, full sized cement basement and sleeping porch. Well-built garage with house. Terms to be arranged to suit purchaser. Price.....\$4200

This has to be seen to be appreciated.

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ACREAGE

1112 BROAD STREET

## FOR SALE—HOUSES

A BARGAIN—3 miles out, on B. C. Electric, a new, modern, 5 roomed bungalow, city water, bath, toilet, etc., 1 acre lot, \$2,500, on your own terms; make your offer. F. Letts, 911 B. C. Permanent Bldg.

## FOR SALE—ACREAGE

WILKINSON RD., 4-mile circle, 2-1/2 acres, new and modern 6-room house, water, \$4,500, terms arranged. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates St. Phone 471.

POWELL BAY, new and modern 5-room bungalow, \$3,500, \$400 cash. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates St. Phone 471.

## TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

IF IT'S BROKEN we can weld it, cast iron, wrought iron, steel, brass or aluminum. Whether your broken parts are worth one or one hundred dollars, we save you money. Look around your house for anything that's broken, then consult the doctor. Acme Machine & Auto Co., 261 View Street. Phone 236.

WANTED—Strong boy, for shop work, also all furniture finisher. Green Lumber & Furniture Co., Ltd., Topaz Ave.

PURE MILK—Messrs. Day & Roberts, Cedar Hill road, have decided to commence a daily afternoon delivery, commencing May 1. Our cows will be milked at 1 p.m. in the milch-cow shed and delivered. The only districts to be covered will be Fernwood, Spring Ridge, Work Estate, Douglas St., Hillside, Finlay and Cook Sts. All families in these districts desirous of obtaining absolutely fresh milk from a firm of our reputation will be well advised to immediately notify us. Our morning milk, delivered by two wagons, similarly treated, and its keeping qualities are well known. The price is 16 pints for one dollar. No reduction will be made for quantities. All customers a welcome visit to our ranch at the city limits and inspect for themselves all departments of our dairy business. Phone 488. Postal address: Gen. Delivery.

FOR SALE—Large, white, Irish wolfhound dog, good guard for children; price very reasonable. Phone 3891, or apply 1142 Leonard street.

A DOUBLE HOUSE for rent, 8 rooms, 1615 Hulton street, \$30 per month.

WANTED—Young girl to assist in house work and take baby out. Phone 3891, or apply 1142 Leonard street.

FURNITURE packed and repaired, carpets laid, tents set up; prices right. Phone 133, A. P. Cowan, 718 Fort. m2

TO RENT—10-room building, corner Langley and Fort, suitable for club. Apply E. A. Harris, 1018 Douglas.

WANTED—3 or 4-room cottage, by married couple. Phone 3711.

WANTED—Experienced lady alteration hand. Apply Sample Suit House, 1238 Government street, upstairs.

WANTED—Manager for large rooming house; man with wife preferred; good salary; must show good references. Apply P. O. Box 488, city.

COMPETENT CABLE SPlicer and must rigging, having good experience on winding machinery, ship rigging and bridge building, holding the best of references. A. E. Woods, 299 Adelaide street W., Toronto, Ont.

EXCHANGE—Wanted, good car in exchange for house. Eagles, Mahon Block.

24 Acres, ALTA VISTA—Exchange for small house. Eagles, Mahon Block.

25 x 130, WEST BAY waterfrontage, to exchange for house. Eagles, Mahon Block.

EXCHANGE—I want your exchange propositions. Charles F. Eagles, Mahon Block.

APARTMENTS TO LET—Suite, Mount View apartments, three rooms, bath, room and pantry; \$15. Apply suite 2.

TO RENT—1905 Pembroke street, near Richmond, seven rooms, modern, \$25 per month. Eagles, Mahon Block.

213 ST. CHARLES ST., Powl Bay, six rooms, modern; \$30. Eagles, Mahon Block.

WE HAVE MONEY TO LOAN at current rates on first mortgage, agreements for sale and short loans. Hall & Poyer, Ltd., cor. View and Douglas Sts.

FOR SALE—Three steel seed tanks. Woodward's Nursery, Ross Bay.

I WANT A RESIDENCE in reasonably good district, 5 rooms or more; wish to trade in city lot up to half value of house. Box 455, Times.

FURNISHED apartment, complete and artistic, including cutlery, dishes and linen. Bellevue Motor, Bellevue St., Oak Bay, stone's throw from Oak Bay car and beach; balcony off living-room, overlooking sea; ideal spot for tourists. Also one vacant apartment. Phone 363711, or Hugh Pringle, 311 Union Basin Bldg. Phone 442.

FOR RENT—Nice, sunny room, overlooking the sea; every convenience, close to cars; corner of Dallas Rd., 16 South Turner street. Phone 37261, or call.

50 BUYS complete furnishings of a 3-room apartment, rent \$18; another for \$35, rent \$25. These must be sold this week; immediate possession. Le Roy Apt., 503 Montreal St., suite 1. Phone 129516.

COTTAGE—All modern, \$10 a month to good tenants. Phone 2140R.

TO RENT—5-roomed house on Pine St., all modern conveniences. Apply 124 Lamson St., or phone 2555.

FOR SALE—Full garage equipment, including power fixtures, machinery, a horse, power motor, lathe, air compressor, tools, gasoline tank and pump. Apply to Vincent C. Martin, assignee, Central Garage, 1197 Langley St.

PLEASANT furnished room for light housekeeping, suitable for business lady; central. Room 5, 647 Fort St. a24

WANTED—5 acres, close to city, in exchange for good 7-room house in Fairfield. R. J. Hurst, 303 Central Bldg. a25

HOUSE WANTED—7 or 8 rooms, modern and close in; price must be right and owner prepared to take a good lot in satisfaction. Address P. O. Box 34, a24

A BIG SACRIFICE—A client of ours leaving for the East offers to sacrifice his small, new, 8-room, up-to-the-minute residence, just completed, with furnace and every convenience, for \$1,500, on very easy terms. Brinson, Weston & Pearce, Bayward Block. a22

HAMPSHIRE ROAD—New, modern, 5 roomed bungalow, a beauty, lot 5x113 to lane; price \$1,000, small cash payment, balance easy. F. Letts, 911 B. C. Permanent Bldg. a23

## EVENTS AT WHARF HEARD IN COURT

Yaga Singh Charged With Assault; Many Countrymen Attend Hearing

There was a medley of turbans in the police court this morning, nearly half the Hindu colony being in the well of the court to hear the preliminary evidence in another case of assault in which the two opposing factions are concerned. According to those in touch with the matter the bodies are respectively those who desire Hindus to come into Canada and those who do not. The assault is alleged to have been committed by one Yaga Singh, who is said to have struck Bela Singh what a white witness described as "a terrific blow" across the neck with a cudgel, inflicting injury also on a finger of his right hand.

Describing the alleged assault, Bela Singh, the man who was struck, said that he was accompanying R. C. Lowe and J. F. Mather, two lawyers, to the outer wharf. There was also present Detective Scilliano, of the Victoria detective department.

The accused, Yaga Singh, first came to the wharf on a motor car with several other Hindus. They walked about for a while and then drove off, witness said, and they repeated this action three times. On their second trip the accused and some others came quite close to Bela Singh and the witness said to him:

"Are you King George?"

Witness explained that this term among the Hindus meant, "Are you for the English?" Bela Singh had answered him, "I have nothing to say to you."

The third time the motor went and came back. This time accused had leaped out with the others, and Yaga Singh is alleged to have raised his bludgeoned stick and struck Bela Singh across the back of the neck, making it swell. The blow glanced off and struck the middle finger of the right hand, making an old wound there stiffen.

J. F. Mather, a Vancouver lawyer who was present when the incident took place, also took the witness stand and corroborated Bela Singh's evidence. He said the accused struck informant a terrific blow.

The case was remanded until Saturday to give the defence time to prepare its case.

## JAPANESE FLEET COMING.

Will Reach the Sound Early in July—Two Battleships and Escorts With 1,500 Officers and Men.

It is possible that the Japanese training fleet will be seen at Victoria very shortly. The North American Times, the Seattle Japanese paper, has informed the publicity department of the new chamber of commerce in the sound port that the fleet, consisting of two battleships and their escorts, will visit Puget sound early in July.

The fleet is under the command of Rear-Admiral Tadjima Kuroki, and there will be 1,500 officers and men aboard. The vessels will remain in Seattle five days. The battleships in the fleet are the Asama and the Azuma. Capt. T. Huga is in charge of the former and Capt. K. Sato of the latter. Capt. Huga was with Admiral Togo when he visited here several years ago.

## TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

TO RENT—\$20 per month, or for sale, cheap, 5 roomed, new and modern in every respect, 1 mile circle, full sized basement, cement floor, wood floors, also lot, on Queen's avenue, \$1,000, terms. Apply 2215 Work street, city. a25

WILL GIVE pleasant bedroom to young lady in return for looking after baby evenings. Apply Box 155, Times. a25

OWNERS, ATTENTION—I want a three-room house with big lot; must be cheap. Box 450, Times. a25

EXCHANGE—5 acres, Happy Valley road, good land, price \$2,500, clear title, for lots in Victoria. Northwest Real Estate Co., 1212 Douglas street. a25

EXCHANGE—Lots in Alberni for small house here, Northwest Real Estate Co., 1212 Douglas street. a25

## MARRIED

PRIMEAU-CASTLE—On April 21, 1914, at St. Andrew's Cathedral, Victoria, B.C., Aurele N. Primeau, of Moose Jaw, Sask., and Dorothy, eldest daughter of Charles C. Castle, formerly Dominion Grain Commissioner, Winnipeg, Man.

NOBLE—On the 21st inst., at the residence, 964 Caledonia avenue, Jane, relict of the late James Noble, aged 53 years, a born at Newcastle-on-Tyne, England.

The funeral will take place from the above address on Thursday, April 23, 1914, at 2 p.m. Interment in Ross Bay cemetery.

## DIES AFTER LONG RESIDENCE IN CITY

Mrs. Catherine Balfour Macdonald Came With Her Father in 1852

## IDENTIFIED WITH MANY PHILANTHROPIC WORKS

Was Married to Senator Macdonald in 1857; Witnessed Growth of City

In the old grey battlemented house set in a woodland glade, and looking over the blue waters of the straits to the snowcapped Olympic mountains, sleeps Catherine Balfour Macdonald, who died at 10 o'clock this forenoon. For nearly forty years this home with its sculptured armorings and motto "For Mars, Per Terram," has been the scene of loving sympathy and widespread hospitality. The wooded grounds have been thrown open as a refuge from the world's stress, which the heart of their mistress has been ever ready to help and to heal.

Senator Macdonald is too well known to the people of this province for his many good qualities to need any but a passing reference; but at this time when he and his family are suffering under the irremediable loss of a devoted wife and mother, it is only fitting that some of her many deeds of kindness should be brought to mind.

She was a woman who was unswerving in her love and reverence for her many virtues of kindness and charity. She was unflinching in her work for others and her life is one long record of good deeds. There are few philanthropic objects in Victoria which have not reason to be thankful to her for much practical sympathy and help.

Mrs. Macdonald had many friends among the older residents of the city. She came to Victoria in the early days when it was only a Hudson's Bay fort, and before the time of railway transportation. Her father, Captain James Murray Reid, of London, brought his wife and their young family round the horn in the Hudson's Bay sailing ship Vancouver, of which he was captain. They arrived in Victoria in December, 1852, and their history is from the time bound up with the history of the city.

Their earliest intention was to stay here for a few years only, but so charmed were they with the country, its scenery, climate and opportunities, that they soon decided to make it their future home. It was while still very young that Catherine Balfour Reid became the wife of young man of the name of John Murray Reid.

He had arrived on Vancouver island in 1851 and was an officer in the Hudson's Bay service. The marriage took place in March, 1857, and six children were eventually born to them.

Mrs. Macdonald and her sister were among the most regular attendants at the services held in the old fort, and used to sing in the choir. They were among those who followed Bishop Croft and assisted in the founding of the Reformed Episcopal church in 1874.

It was in conjunction with Mrs. Croft that Mrs. Macdonald founded the Protestant Orphans' Home. Having a family of orphans brought to her notice by some friends, she first of all housed them in her own home, then later found individual homes for them.

On other cases sprang up she and Mrs. Croft determined to deal effectively with this question of humanity and Christian love, and rented a small house for the little derelicts, putting them in charge of Miss Todd. Later as larger premises became necessary they rented a larger building on Blanshard avenue, and when this again became too small, through the generosity of the late John G. Taylor, who left his property, amounting to \$30,000, to the enterprise, they founded the present orphanage.

Mrs. Macdonald was also associated with her sister, Miss Reid, and Bishop and Mrs. Croft, in founding the Female Infirmary, one of the first attempts at organized nursing in the district, and minutes of meetings at the old paragonage still exist, in which records of this good work may be studied. The Royal Victoria hospital was still another project in which she took an active interest from the time of its first organization by Bishop (then Dean) Croft, in 1853.

At this time Senator Macdonald was a member of the Legislature for the Lake District along with G. F. Foster, and Mrs. Macdonald's father, Captain James Murray Reid, was one of the first councillors of Victoria under Thomas Harris, the first mayor of the city, elected to that office in 1862. The two families were united by both civic and business interests and worked side by side for the good of the community they had helped to found.

In 1878 Senator and Mrs. Macdonald decided to leave their house on the site where the Union club now stands, which had sheltered their growing family for so many years. Together they planned the house on Niagara street, then a stretch of untrodden woodland. Under great trees the walls of this home were erected, and in the wild wood its garden walks were carved. Armada from that time, became the home of the Macdonalds.

Visits were paid from time to time to Ottawa and London, but the family remained bound up in the city of their making.

It is only within the last few months that Mrs. Macdonald retired from her life of active philanthropy—and even during her illness her thoughts were all for others. She had been suffering for some time with acute neuritis when in January of this year, on an errand of mercy to some grief-stricken friends,

she contracted the serious chill which set up inflammation of the nerves and eventually resulted in her death.

Her wonderful vitality kept her up through many months of suffering, and in spite of acute pain on Easter Sunday she braced herself to the remembrance of an aged couple to whom she sent assistance. The members of one family in Victoria have been her pensioners for forty years, and there are many in humble walks of life who will join to-day in mourning her.

Besides Senator Macdonald, she is survived by their six children. The eldest son, Major Reginald James Macdonald, is an officer in the Royal Artillery; the second, Commander William Balfour Macdonald, is in the Royal Navy, and was for some time in command of H. M. C. S. "Niobe" at Halifax, being lent for this purpose to the Canadian navy by the Imperial government. His home is in Portsmouth, Eng. The third son, Capt. Douglas Macdonald, was also in the Royal Artillery, but is now retired, and is at present staying at Armadale. The eldest daughter, Mrs. Gavin Burns, is well known in social and philanthropic circles in Victoria. Among other activities she holds the office of recording secretary to the Local Council of Women, besides being a valued member of the Daughters of the Empire, and various other organizations. The second daughter, Mrs. Fleet, is the wife of Rear-Admiral Ernest James Fleet, R. N., who retired in 1905. She makes her home in England, but came to Victoria just before her mother's illness to pay a visit to the old home. The third daughter, Miss Macdonald, lives at home, and is well known as being a most devoted daughter.

The funeral will take place on Friday morning, leaving the house at 11:30 the cortege will proceed to the Reformed Episcopal church, where a service will be held by Rev. T. W. Gladstone. Interment will take place at Ross Bay cemetery, and arrangements are in the hands of the B. C. Funeral Co.

## ANNUAL LIBERAL MEETING

Members of the Victoria Association Will Gather To-night at the Central Rooms.

This evening the annual meeting of the Victoria Liberal association will be held in the Liberal rooms, Cormorant street, and all Liberals in the city are cordially invited to attend it.

During the past year the association has grown apace, and has been carrying on energetic organization and missionary work. With a strong executive and five officers the association is a great force in the community for the advancement of good government, and the result of this is certain to be seen at the next appeal the government makes to the electorate.

Reports will be presented to-night on various phases of the work of the year, officers will be elected for the ensuing twelve months, and some important items of general business are to come before the members of the association.

The meeting will commence at 8 o'clock, and will be presided over by Joshua Gingham, president of the association.

## LOCAL NEWS

Reception to Commander Evans.—It is expected that the committee which was named by the city council on Monday evening to make arrangements for a civic reception to Commander Evans when he visits Victoria next week will hold its first meeting to-morrow, but no hour is yet fixed. The committee consists of the mayor, Aldermen Cuthbert, McNeill and Porter and the city clerk.

Arbitration Going On.—This morning the arbitration case of the city and John Murray began at the city hall. The arbitrators in the case are Hugh Kennedy, for the city; J. J. Shallocross, for the owner, and A. P. Lutton, K. C., as chairman. The city desires a piece of land at the corner of Denman and Shakespeare streets for street widening purposes, and offers the sum of \$4,500 for the whole lot. Mr. Murray asks \$25,000 for it. The owner was heard as to the value he places on the property, which he asserted was not exorbitant but was what he could get for it.

Visiting Sooke Lake.—Mayor Stewart, Ald. Porter and Water Commissioner Rust left for Sooke lake this morning to make an inspection of the waterworks scheme. They do not expect to be back until late this evening, as a very thorough investigation was to be made of every feature of the work under way or about to be undertaken. The first lengths of the pipe for the system from Sooke lake to Humpback reservoir have been turned out by the Pacific Lock Joint Pipe company, which has the contract for that portion of the system, and these will be included in the inspection.

Was Badly Hurt.—A Hindu named Babu Singh was very seriously injured this morning by falling off a milk cart on Cook street and sustaining injuries to the head. Babu Singh was driving along Cook street when his horse took fright and bolted. Babu was thrown out, and alighting on his head was immediately rendered unconscious. He was taken in the ambulance to the Jubilee hospital where he now lies in a critical condition. The horse which the Hindu was driving was one of the old police patrol animals, and made itself quite at home when brought to the police station this morning. It is stated by an onlooker that the cause of the horse running away was that part of the shaft broke off from the axle and fell across the animal, frightening it.

Personal

Hon. E. Dewdney and Mrs. Dewdney left for the mainland to-day and will be absent about a week.

## LICENSE COMMISSION MUST SIT AS COURT

Far-Reaching Decision by Justice Clement, Who Upholds Leland License

## MEWEN'S APPLICATION DISMISSED WITH COSTS

Judgment Brings to End Noted Case in Which License Was Involved

A decision of sweeping effect which will probably radically alter the proceedings of license boards throughout the province was delivered by Mr. Justice Clement to-day in the certiorari proceedings in which James McEwen and a number of North Ward citizens sought to have set aside the transfer of the Leland hotel license to the Wright block. He has decided that Alexander Hesson's license is good and that the license commission is a court with purely judicial functions to be exercised only upon evidence properly sworn in open court. The objections raised by the applicant, says his lordship, savored of the card up the sleeve method, which he thinks not commendable in would-be moral reformers.

H. A. Maclean, K. C., represented Hesson, and F. A. McDermid, the applicant.

The judgment in part follows: "In my opinion a board of license commissioners exercising jurisdiction under the Municipal act in connection with the granting of liquor licenses and the transfer or renewal of same constitutes a court, and as such is bound by and subject to those fundamental rules which govern all courts under our system of jurisprudence. The facts which must exist under the statute in order to the lawful exercise of the board's jurisdiction must be proved before it in open court, and the board cannot lawfully act upon the knowledge or supposed knowledge of its members, except insofar as judicial notice may be taken by any tribunal of what may be called commonly or notoriously known facts.

"It is not contended and could not be contended that the facts of which it is complained there was no evidence before the board in this case are facts of which judicial notice could be taken. The modes of proof left open are the sworn testimony of witnesses and the admissions made before the court by those who are parties to the enquiry upon which the court is engaged.

"It has been held in England that certiorari will lie to remove the proceedings of a licensing meeting as being in some aspects at least judicial and not purely administrative proceedings.

In my opinion our statute governs, and its express provision that licenses are to be granted or refused in open court by a board of license commissioners sitting as a licensing court is not a mere piece of meaningless nomenclature, but must be treated seriously as meaning what it says. The duties of the licensing court are not, so far as I can see, other than judicial; the administrative work is apparently in the hands of the municipal council and of officers appointed by it, and not by the board of license commissioners."

His lordship here sets out that admissions may be accepted as evidence and continues: "Any person may appear and object; but in my opinion anyone who does so must be considered a party to the enquiry which goes on before the board, so far at least as to be bound by admissions, express or implied, made by him or by his counsel for him.

"The applicant here complains that there was no evidence before the board as to the existence of the hotel premises for which a license was sought by Hesson, or that such premises had the accommodation required by law. It seems to me that, unless the attitude of the applicant and his counsel before the board is to be treated as a farce, worse still as intended to raise a controversy before the board upon immaterial or unnecessary issues, that attitude justified the board in taking as admitted the very facts referred to.

"This motion savors too much of the card up the sleeve, which is not in my humble judgment to be commended as a suitable weapon in the armory of those who would forward moral reform.

"The further point is taken in support of the motion that the board had no jurisdiction to make an order of transfer of Hesson's saloon license and the grant of the hotel license in respect of the Wright block by one and the same order.

"As to this suffice it to say that as I read section 240 of the Municipal act it contemplates a change from a saloon license in respect of certain premises to a hotel license in respect of certain other premises, or possibly of the same premises if altered to conform with the hotel requirements. This was what Hesson asked and this was what was ordered by the board at the meeting of December 24, 1913.

"The motion is dismissed with costs to be paid by McEwen to Hesson."

## INDIA COMING.

The giant white liner R. M. S. Empress of India, Capt. Haller, was spoken by the Triangle station last night, and is expected to arrive to-morrow morning about 10 o'clock.

It is always a matter of surprise to me that London should return Conservative members in parliament, for in no centre do we see exemplified so clearly the need for those social reforms for which we, as Liberals, have striven and have yet to strive.—Mr. Lloyd George.

## TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

### AMERICAN LEAGUE

At Boston—R. H. E.  
Philadelphia..... 9 11 4  
Boston..... 9 9 2  
Batteries—Houck, Wyckoff, Plank and Schlang; Bedient, Cumbre, Foster and Kelly, Cady.

At New York—R. H. E.  
Washington..... 2 5 1  
New York..... 1 8 1  
Batteries—Ayres, Engle and Henry; Warhop and Sweeney.

At Cleveland—R. H. E.  
Chicago..... 7 6 1  
Cleveland..... 0 6 5  
Batteries—Russell, Scott and Schalk; Blandin, Collamore and Blandin, Carisch.

At St. Louis—R. H. E.  
Detroit..... 4 8 0  
St. Louis..... 2 10 2  
Batteries—Dauus and Stango; Hamilton and Crossin.

### FEDERAL LEAGUE

At Pittsburgh—R. H. E.  
Buffalo..... 9 10 2  
Pittsburgh..... 6 11 5  
Batteries—Moran, Ford and Blair; Camnitz, Walker and Berry.

At Kansas City—R. H. E.  
Indianapolis..... 3 8 2  
Kansas City..... 4 10 1  
Batteries—Mullin and Tetter; Packard and Easterly.

At St. Louis—R. H. E.  
Chicago..... 4 5 1  
St. Louis..... 5 12 4  
Batteries—McGuire and Wilson; Crandall and Hartley.

### NATIONAL LEAGUE

At Philadelphia—R. H. E.  
Boston..... 1 5 1  
Philadelphia..... 3 6 1  
Batteries—Rudolph and Gowdy; Alexander and Killifer.

At Brooklyn—New York-Brooklyn game postponed; wet grounds.

At Chicago—R. H. E.  
Cincinnati..... 4 3 2  
Chicago..... 3 5 1  
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## ISSUE WAS FRADULENT

Fire Valley Orchards, Ltd., Recovers Capital Stock Wrongfully Issued to Elmer R. Sly.

Fire Valley Orchards, Limited, was awarded judgment by Mr. Justice Clement against Elmer R. Sly and his wife, Edna H. Sly, in the action tried in supreme court here recently. The full relief asked by the plaintiff is allowed.

In this case the company asked for a declaration that the allotment of 35 shares of stock to Elmer R. Sly was illegal and fraudulent against the company, and that the transfer of the shares to Edna H. Sly was inoperative against the company, and the certificate issued to her void as issued by Sly without the authority of the company. All this is granted by the court and the delivery up of the 35 shares is ordered. Sly was the promoter of the company.

## FASTIDIOUS WRITERS.

Victor Hugo showed more regard for commas than is displayed by the poet Laureate in his latest effusion. In one of Hugo's letters to Baudelaire he dwells on his passion for perfect punctuation. As an instance of this he mentions that the printers had to furnish him with 11 reviews of the proofs of "La Legende des Siecles," the last ten of which were required only in order that the commas might be put in the right place. Thomas Campbell was equally fastidious in the matter of punctuation. He once walked six miles to his printers (and six miles back again) to have a comma changed into a semicolon.

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## STORY OF SCOTT.

The great outburst of enthusiasm in Paris on January 27 when Commander Evans, R. N., told his simple story of the British Antarctic expedition which sent Capt. Scott and his fellows to their deaths, have been duplicated in many other cities since. On that occasion in Paris, the French Geographical society welcomed Commander Evans at the Sorbonne. President Poincaré was present in the audience of 5,000, 2,000 other persons having been unable to get inside the amphitheatre. At the conclusion of his story, as simple as it was pathetic, Commander Evans was presented with the cross of the legion of honor, which was pinned upon his breast by President Poincaré, who said: "It is an honor to shake hands with so brave a man. In pinning this cross upon your breast, I, and the French government are but echoing the wish of every French heart, however humble."

The same story which so affected the Parisians is to be told by Commander Evans at the Royal Victoria theatre on the evening of April 29.

## STUDYING SALMON

Government Sends Out Seven Men to Collect Information About Habits of Fish.

In order to collect data about the life and habits of the salmon fry, with a view to increasing the salmon harvest and of supplying the fishermen with advance information as to the estimated quantity of the shoals each year, the provincial government is sending out this week, seven men with instructions to obtain samples of the fry, and to report on the shoals before they leave fresh water. The head waters of the Nass river, Rivers inlet, the Skeena river and the Fraser river will all be visited.

Provincial Constable Fred Markland, who acts as fishery overseer for the Fraser River district, is one of the men selected, and he will proceed to Quenest lake at the head of the Fraser for his observations. There, over 250 miles from the sea, the salmon go to spawn, and Mr. Markland will make his camp on the site of the old Bullion mining camp dam. A few years ago the government constructed fish ladders to enable the salmon to surmount the dam and gain entrance into Quenest lake.

In two or three weeks the young fry will be sufficiently big and strong enough to make their way down stream to the sea, there to go on their four years' journey to their feeding grounds. At the end of the fourth year they will return from their unknown feeding grounds, and by some mysterious instinct will come back in search of the river and lake which saw their birth.

Hitherto no such early observations have been kept, and the present effort to collect data in regard to this valuable industry, is expected to mark the commencement of a system which in future years will be of great help to the men interested in the salmon fisheries of the province.

## SAANICH PAVING SCHEME.

New Set of Specifications Submitted to Municipality by Warren Construction Company.

A new set of specifications for paving has been submitted by the Warren Construction company, the Saanich council was informed last evening in a report from the works committee, which added that it was hoped this would furnish the basis for a satisfactory contract.

The specifications will be placed before the legal advisers of the municipality for an opinion, and the provincial government is to be asked for a date for a conference at which these can be presented for approval. In the event of this approval being granted the matter will be submitted to a vote of the ratepayers.

By spreading the work over probably three years the council expects to be in a position more readily to finance the paving scheme, and at the same time to avoid the disturbance of labor conditions which would result from rushing the work to completion this year.



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## Thursday's Special

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